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10:00	65th plenary meeting	General Assembly Hall

[webcast]

Integrated and coordinated implementation of and follow-up to the outcomes of the major United Nations conferences and summits in the economic, social and related fields [item 13 (a)]: Follow-up to the outcome of the Millennium Summit [item 115]

(a) Note by the Secretary-General (A/69/315)

(b) Draft resolution (A/69/L.32)

Joint debate

Security Council

10:00	Consultations of the whole (closed)	Consultations Room

Sudan/South Sudan

United Nations Interim Security Force for Abyei (UNISFA) (S/2014/862)

Liberia sanctions (S/2014/707) (S/2014/831)

Other matters

Security Council Informal Working Group on International Tribunals

15:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 8

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General Assembly

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Main Committees

Fifth Committee

10:00 to 13:00	Informal consultations (closed)	Conference Room 5
	Informal consultations on agenda item 137 (Human resources management (A/69/190, A/69/190/Add.1, A/69/190/Add.2, A/69/190/Add.2/Corr.1, A/69/190/Add.3, A/69/190/Add.4, A/69/292, A/69/292/Add.1, A/69/283, A/69/117, A/69/332 and A/69/572))	
15:00 to 18:00	Informal consultations (closed)	Conference Room 5
	Informal consultations on agenda item 132 (Programme budget for the biennium 2014-2015:	
	Umoja/Enterprise resources planning (A/69/385, A/69/385/Corr.1, A/69/158 and A/69/418)	
	Information and Communications Technology Strategy (A/69/517 and A/69/610))	

General Assembly

Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions

10:00 to 13:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 10
15:00 to 18:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 10
	Executive meeting	

Security Council

Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1737 (2006)

15:00 to 16:30	Informal consultations (closed)	Conference Room 7

Working Group on Children and Armed Conflict

16:30 to 18:00	52nd meeting (closed)	Conference Room 7

Economic and Social Council

2015 session

10:00 to 13:00 — 4th meeting [webcast] — Economic and Social Council Chamber

Panel discussion on "The impact of credit rating agencies on financing for sustainable development"

Chair

His Excellency Martin Sajdik (Austria), President of the Economic and Social Council

Moderator

Ms. Merli Baroudi, Director and Chief Credit Officer, World Bank Group

Panellists

Ms. Chee Mee Hu, Managing Director, Project Finance and Infrastructure Group, Moody's Investors Service

Mr. Thomas Missong, President, European Association of Credit Rating Agencies

Mr. Bruno Bertocci, Managing Director and Global Equity Portfolio Manager, UBS Global Asset Management (Americas) Inc.

Professor John C. Coffee, Columbia Law School, Columbia University, New York

Presentations followed by an interactive dialogue

[All are invited to attend. For further information, please contact Mr. Krishnan Sharma, Financing for Development Office, Department of Economic and Social Council (e-mail sharmak@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-4451) or *click here*. Delegates are reminded that PaperSmart services will be offered as an additional service for all the meetings of the 2015 session of the Economic and Social Council. Please *click here* for the PaperSmart portal of the Council.]

General Assembly

Special Committee on Peacekeeping Operations

Informal briefing

The Department of Field Support and the Department of Peacekeeping Operations will provide an informal briefing (closed), to members of the Special Committee on Peacekeeping Operations, on *Monday, 8 December 2014*, at 15:00, in Conference Room 2: on military capacities; and the Expert Panel on Technology and Innovation.

Informal meetings on draft proposals convened by delegations

The agenda of the sixty-ninth session of the General Assembly is contained in documents A/69/251 and A/69/252. The meetings under this header are closed.

Monday, 8 December 2014

General Assembly

Informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "The role of the United Nations in promoting a new global human order" (under agenda item 15) (convened by the delegation of Guyana)

From 10:00 to 13:00, in Conference Room E.

Informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "The role of diamonds in fuelling conflicts: breaking the link between the illicit transaction of rough diamonds and armed conflict as a contribution of prevention and settlement of conflict" (under agenda item 31) (convened by the delegation of China)

From 15:00 to 18:00, in Conference Room E.

Other meetings

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Monday, 8 December 2014

International Criminal Court: Meeting of the Bureau of the Assembly of States Parties

08:30 to 09:30 Closed meeting Conference Room 7

Group of 77 (on Second Committee and related matters)

09:00 to 10:00 Closed meeting Conference Room 8

Group of 77 (on International cooperation on humanitarian assistance in the field of natural disasters, from relief to development)

10:00 to 13:00 Closed meeting Conference Room C

Assembly of States Parties to the Rome Statute of the International Criminal Court (thirteenth session) [webcast]

First plenary meeting

10:00 to 13:00 Conference Room 1

Credentials Committee meeting

12:30 to 13:00 Closed meeting Conference Room B

Second plenary meeting (election of six judges)

15:00 to 18:00 Closed meeting Conference Room 1

OIC Group (Fifth Committee experts)

13:15 to 14:30 Closed meeting Trusteeship Council Chamber

Other activities

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Monday, 8 December 2014

Panel discussion on "Micah Challenge Summit Conference" (co-organized by the United Nations Millennium Campaign, UNDP, the World Evangelical Alliance, the Micah Challenge International, and the Micah Network)

From 09:00 to 11:00, in the Trusteeship Council Chamber.

[All are invited. For further information, please contact Ms. Kallayaphorn Jasmine Jaruphand, UNDP (e-mail kallayaphorn.jaruphand@undp.org); or Ms. Marielle Ali (e-mail marielle@worldea.org).]

Donor meeting for current and prospective contributors — DPA's Multi-year Appeal 2015 update and its funding priorities (organized by the Department of Political Affairs (DPA))

From 11:00 to 12:30, in Conference Room 7.

[All permanent missions and permanent observer missions are invited. For further information, please contact Ms. Angeli Badelles, DPA (e-mail badelles@un.org, tel. 1 (917) 367-0264).]

Panel discussion on "Political participation of women – Why should men bother?" (organized by the Permanent Mission of the Czech Republic, in collaboration with the Permanent Mission of Afghanistan, the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights (OHCHR) and the United Nations Entity for Gender Equality and the Empowerment of Women (UN-Women))

From 13:15 to 14:30, in Conference Room 4. [webcast]

[All are invited. For further information and registration, please contact the Permanent Mission of the Czech Republic (Ms. Denisa Musilova (e-mail denisa.czechmission@gmail.com); or Ms. Barbora Skacelova (e-mail barbora_skacelova@mzv.cz)).]

Press conferences

The schedule is tentative; up-to-date information can be obtained at www.un.org/sg/spokesperson/confschedule.asp.

Monday, 8 December 2014

Press Briefing Room (S-0237) [webcast]

12:00	Press briefing by the Spokesperson
12:30	Press briefing by Ms. Fanny Langella, Deputy Spokesperson for the President of the General Assembly

General Assembly
Sixty-ninth session

Informal meetings of the plenary as part of the preparatory process for the Third International Conference on Financing for Development will be held from Tuesday, 9 to Friday, 12 December 2014, at 10:00 and 15:00, in the Trusteeship Council Chamber. The meeting on Wednesday, 10 December 2014, at 15:00, will take place in the Economic and Social Council Chamber. Additional information is available on the website of the Financing for Development Office (*click here*).

General Assembly
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The General Assembly will consider the reports of the Sixth Committee on Wednesday, 10 December 2014, *in the morning*. The dates for the consideration of the reports of other main committees will be announced in the *Journal* as soon as they are scheduled.

The consideration of sub-item (a) of agenda item 112 (Election of twenty members of the Committee for Programme and Coordination) and sub-item (i) of agenda item 113 (Appointment of the judges of the United Nations Appeals Tribunal) (originally scheduled for Monday, 8 December), will now take place on Wednesday, 10 December 2014, in the morning.

Additional updates to the programme of work and schedule of plenary meetings of the General Assembly are available by *clicking here*.

General Assembly
Sixty-ninth session

Informal informal consultations of the plenary on the post-2015 development agenda will be held on Wednesday, 10 December 2014, from 13:15 to 14:30, in Conference Room 4.

General Assembly
Sixty-ninth session

An event convened by the President of the General Assembly to launch the International Decade for People of African Descent, with the theme "People of African Descent: recognition, justice and development", will be held on Wednesday, 10 December 2014, at 15:00, in the Trusteeship Council Chamber. A letter from the President of the General Assembly, dated 31 October 2014, was sent to all permanent representatives and permanent observers.

Forthcoming official meetings

Tuesday, 9 December 2014

General Assembly
Sixty-ninth session

10:00 — 66th plenary meeting — General Assembly Hall

Oceans and the law of the sea [item 74]:

(a) Oceans and the law of the sea

(i) Reports of the Secretary-General (A/69/71 and A/69/71/Add.1)

(ii) Report of the work of the Ad Hoc Working Group of the Whole (A/69/77)

(iii) Report on the work of the United Nations Open-ended Informal Consultative Process (A/69/90)

(iv) Letter from the Co-Chairs of the Ad Hoc Open-ended Informal Working Group to the President of the General Assembly (A/69/177)

(v) Draft resolution (A/69/L.29)

(b) Sustainable fisheries, including through the 1995 Agreement for the Implementation of the Provisions of the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea of 10 December 1982 relating to the Conservation and Management of Straddling Fish Stocks and Highly Migratory Fish Stocks, and related instruments: draft resolution (A/69/L.30)

General Assembly
Sixty-ninth session

The agenda of the sixty-ninth regular session of the General Assembly was adopted on 19 September 2014 and issued in document A/69/251 (see document A/69/252 for allocation of items).

The annotated preliminary list of items to be included in the provisional agenda of the sixty-ninth regular session of the General Assembly was issued in documents A/69/100 and A/69/100/Add.1.

Since the issuance of the programme of work and schedule of plenary meetings of the General Assembly (A/INF/69/3/Rev.1), the following change has been made:

> Consideration of agenda item 31 (The role of diamonds in fuelling conflict), originally scheduled for Friday, 5 December, and agenda item 124 (Global health and foreign policy) originally scheduled for Wednesday, 10 December, have been postponed to Thursday, 11 December 2014.

List of speakers

Delegations wishing to speak in the plenary meetings are kindly requested to inscribe with the list of speakers, General Assembly Affairs Branch (Ms. Antonina Poliakova, room S-3082, tel. 1 (212) 963-5063; e-mail poliakova@un.org).

For the submission of a draft resolution for the plenary, please call 1 (212) 963-3818 (room S-3053). Please *click here* for the guidelines for submission of draft resolutions in the General Assembly.

Credential of representatives

Delegations are reminded that the credentials of representatives and the names of alternate representatives and advisers, issued in accordance with rule 27 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly, and signed by the Head of State or Government or Minister of Foreign Affairs should be delivered to the Office of Legal Affairs (room S-3608).

Announcement for Member States on issuance of communications

Delegations requesting issuance of communications as documents of the General Assembly should ensure that they are addressed to the Secretary-General and signed by the Permanent Representative or Chargé d'affaires of the Permanent Mission to the United Nations. The communications should indicate the session of the General Assembly, and the number and title of the agenda item under which circulation is requested, using the agenda of the sixty-ninth session of the General Assembly contained in document A/69/251.

Electronic versions in Microsoft Word should be sent to gaab@un.org, or to dpu-dgacm@un.org, to facilitate the processing of communications. If versions in any other United Nations official languages are available, they should be included with a clear indication of the original language and/or which language versions are to be used for reference only.

Main Committees

Fifth Committee

The Fifth Committee will hold informal consultations (closed) on Tuesday, 9 December 2014, at 10:00, in Conference Room 5.

General Assembly

Special Committee on Peacekeeping Operations
Informal briefing

The Department of Field Support and the Department of Peacekeeping Operations will provide an informal briefing (closed), to members of the Special Committee on Peacekeeping Operations, on Monday, 15 December 2014, at 10:00, in the Trusteeship Council Chamber: on inter-mission cooperation; and health.

Economic and Social Council

Commission on the Status of Women
Briefing

The Chair and the Bureau of the Commission on the Status of Women will hold a briefing in preparation for the fifty-ninth session of the Commission on Tuesday, 9 December 2014, from 11:00 to 13:00, in the Economic and Social Council Chamber. All interested delegations are invited to attend.

Committee on Non-Governmental Organizations
Informal consultations

The Committee on Non-Governmental Organizations will hold informal consultations on Wednesday, 17 and Thursday, 18 December 2014, from 10:00 to 13:00 and from 15:00 to 18:00, in Conference Room 9, to discuss new applications. All members of the Committee are strongly encouraged to attend.

Participation in the informal consultations is open to members of the Committee only.

United Nations Children's Fund

Executive Board
Informal briefings

In preparation for its 2015 first regular session, the Executive Board of UNICEF will hold informal briefings as indicated below. All interested delegations are invited to attend.

Wednesday, 10 December 2014, from 10:00 to 13:00, in Conference Room 8: (a) on UNICEF annual financial report and audited financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2013 and report of the Board of Auditors; (b) on Private fundraising: 2015 work plan and proposed budget; and

Tuesday, 16 December 2014, from 10:00 to 13:00, in Conference Room 4: (a) UNICEF work with countries transitioning from middle to high income status; (b) the Ebola situation.

Forthcoming other meetings

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Western European and Other States Group (monthly meeting)

Wednesday, 17 December 2014, from 15:00 to 18:00, in Conference Room 8.

Forthcoming other activities

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Briefing on "Financing for Development: What is at stake for the LDCs?" (co-organized by the Permanent Mission of Benin and the Office of the High Representative for the Least Developed Countries, Landlocked Developing Countries and Small Island Developing States (UN-OHRLLS))

Tuesday, 9 December 2014, from 13:15 to 14:45, in Conference Room 6.

[All are invited. For further information, please contact Mr. Abdul Alim, UN-OHRLLS (e-mail alim1@un.org); or Mr. Jonas Djebou (e-mail djonassucces@yahooo.fr).]

Event on "Justice Rapid Response: Strengthening the International Community's Investigative Capacity for Core International Crimes – Annual General Report" (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Finland, the Netherlands, Sweden, Switzerland and Uganda)

Tuesday, 9 December 2014, from 13:15 to 14:30, in Conference Room 8.

[All are invited. For further information, please contact Ms. Sari Mäkelä, Permanent Mission of Finland (e-mail sari.makela@formin.fi; tel. 1 (212) 821-0229); or Ms. Federica Tronchin (e-mail f.tronchin@justicerapidresponse.org; tel. 1 (212) 980-0193).]

Commemorative event on "Holodomor under International Law" (on the occasion of the eighty-first anniversary of the Holodomor of 1932-1933 in Ukraine) (organized by the Permanent Mission of Ukraine)

Tuesday, 9 December 2014, from 15:00 to 18:00, in the Dag Hammarskjöld Library Auditorium.

[All are invited. For further information, please contact Mr. Oleksiy Shapoval, Permanent Mission of Ukraine (e-mail shapovalalex85@gmail.com; tel. 1 (212) 759-7003).]

International launch of *Presidents United to Solve Hunger* (PUSH) (co-organized by the World Food Programme (WFP), the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO), the Hunger Solutions Institute, Association of Public and Land-grant Universities (APLU), USAID's Board of International Food and Agriculture Development, the Zero Hunger Challenge, and the Alliance to End Hunger)

Tuesday, 9 December 2014, from 15:00 to 17:00, in the Economic and Social Council Chamber.

[All are invited. For further information, please contact the FAO Liaison Office in New York (e-mail faolon-director@un.org).]

Special event on "Love is a family value: Supporting all families and family members" (on the occasion of Human Rights Day (10 December)) (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Argentina, Brazil, Colombia, Croatia, El Salvador, France, Israel, Japan, Montenegro, the Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, the United Kingdom, Uruguay, the United States Mission, the Delegation of the European Union, the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights (OHCHR), the Human Rights Watch (HRW) and the International Gay and Lesbian Human Rights Commission (IGLHRC))

Wednesday, 10 December 2014, from 11:00 to 13:00, in the Economic and Social Council Chamber.

[All are invited. For further information, please *click here*; or contact the Delegation of the European Union (e-mail stefan.van-uden@eeas.europa.eu).]

Event on "Cooperation in the area of witness protection" (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Brazil, the Netherlands, and Norway and the International Criminal Court)

Wednesday, 10 December 2014, from 13:00 to 14:00, in Conference Room 8.

[All are invited. For further information, please contact Ms. Charity Kagwi-Ndungu, United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime (UNODC) (e-mail kagwi@un.org, tel. 1 (212) 963-3963).]

Commemorative event on the twentieth anniversary of the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda (ICTR) (organized by the United Nations International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda)

Wednesday, 10 December 2014, from 13:15 to 14:00, in the Economic and Social Council Chamber.

[All are invited. For further information and to register, please contact Ms. Amanda Grafstrom, ICTR (e-mail ictrlegacy@un.org).]

Panel discussion on "First Responders and the Use of Digital Evidence" (co-organized by Permanent Mission of Liechtenstein and the Open Society Justice Initiative (OSJI))

Wednesday, 10 December 2014, from 13:15 to 14:30, in Conference Room 7.

[All are invited. For further information, contact Mr. René Holbach, Permanent Mission of Liechtenstein (e-mail rene.holbach@nyc.llv.li; tel. 1 (212) 599-0220, ext. 230); Ms. Alison Cole, OSJI (e-mail alison.cole@opensocietyfoundations.org); or *click here*.]

Briefing and TEDx Viewing on "TEDxPlaceDesNations Impact: Post-2015 negotiation process, to be adopted by the United Nations in 2015" (co-organized by the United Nations Office at Geneva (UNOG) and Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees (UNHCR); in collaboration with the Department of Public Information (DPI) and the Department of Economic and Social Affairs (DESA))

Thursday, 11 December 2014, from 09:00 to 13:00, in the Dag Hammarskjöld Auditorium.

[All are invited. For further information, please contact Ms. Hawa Diallo, NGO Relations Section (e-mail diallo9@un.org; tel. 1 (917) 367-9380).]

Launch of the United Nations Population Fund report *Lessons From the First Cycle of the Universal Periodic Review: From Commitment to Action on Sexual and Reproductive Health and Rights* (on the occasion of the Human Rights Day) (organized by the United Nations Population Fund (UNFPA))

Thursday, 11 December 2014, from 09:30 to 11:00, in *Conference Room A*.

[All are invited. For further information, please contact Ms. Carol Crichlow, UNFPA (e-mail chrichlow@unfpa.org).]

Event to launch the *Framework of Analysis for Atrocity Crimes* "From early-warning to early action: the contribution of new tools and non-State actors for an effective prevention strategy" (co-organized by the Office of the Special Adviser of the Secretary-General on the Prevention of Genocide and the Permanent Missions of Italy and the United Republic of Tanzania)

Thursday, 11 December 2014, from 10:00 to 12:00, in Conference Room 6.

[All are invited. For further information and registration, please contact Ms. Claudia Diaz, Department of Political Affairs (DPA) (e-mail diazc@un.org; tel. 1 (917) 367-2061).]

Event on "Mutual legal assistance and extradition for war crimes, crimes against humanity and crime of genocide – Initiative for a multilateral treaty" (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Argentina, Belgium, the Netherlands and Slovenia)

Thursday, 11 December 2014, from 13:15 to 14:45, in Conference Room 6.

[All are invited. For further information, please contact Ms. Florence Latinis-Sostre, Permanent Mission of Belgium (e-mail florence.latinis@diplobel.fed.be; tel. 1 (212) 378-6387).]

Panel discussion "Advancing Equality and Gender Justice – the Colombian case" (co-organized by the United Nations Population Fund (UNFPA) and the United States Agency for International Development (USAID))

Friday, 12 December 2014, from 13:15 to 14:45, in Conference Room 2.

[All are invited. For further information, please contact Ms. Ida Krogh Mikkelsen, UNFPA (e-mail mikkelsen@unfpa.org).]

Panel discussion on "Perspectives on Mountains and Sustainable Development in a Post-2015 Agenda" (in observance of the International Mountain Day (11 December)) (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Argentina and Switzerland, the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO) and the Mountain Partnership Secretariat)

Friday, 12 December 2014, from 13:15 to 14:30, in Conference Room 6.

[All are invited. For further information, please contact the FAO Liaison Office in New York (e-mail lon-registry@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-6036).]

Launch of the 2010 *Yearbook of the United Nations* (organized by the Department of Public Information Yearbook Unit)

Monday, 15 December 2014, from 12:00 to 14:00, in the Woodrow Wilson Reading Room, in the Dag Hammarskjöld Library, 2nd Floor.

[All permanent missions, observer missions and United Nations correspondents are invited. For further information and registration, please contact Mr. Finn Summerell, DPI (e-mail summerell@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-8293); or e-mail unyearbook@un.org).]

Panel discussion on "Documenting international crimes to end impunity in Syria" (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Denmark and the Netherlands)

Monday 15 December 2014, from 13:15 to 14:30, in Conference Room 7.

[For further information, please contact the Permanent Mission of the Netherlands (e-mail nyv-rsvp@minbuza.nl).]

Event on "Children, sport and development – CRC@25: achievements and looking to post-2015" (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Italy and Jamaica, the United Nations Children's Fund (UNICEF), the United Nations Office on Sport for Development and Peace (UNOSDP) and the Office of the Special Representative of the Secretary-General on Violence against Children (SRSG-VAC))

Monday, 15 December 2014, from 15:00 to 18:00, in the Trusteeship Council Chamber.

[All are invited. For further information and to register, please contact Ms. Isabella Periotto, Permanent Mission of Italy (e-mail sec.italyun@esteri.it; tel. 1 (646) 840-5388).]

High-level panel discussion on "Migration in the Post-2015 United Nations Development Agenda" (co-organized by the International Organization for Migration (IOM), and the Permanent Missions of Costa Rica and Germany)

Wednesday, 17 December 2014, from 10:00 to 13:00, in Conference Room 3.

[All are invited. For further information, please contact Mr. Kevin Ritchie, IOM (e-mail kritchie@iom.int; tel. 1 (212) 681-7000, ext. 236); or e-mail unobserver@iom.int.]

Announcements

Training for delegates and staff of permanent missions

The Dag Hammarskjöld Library will conduct the following training for delegates and staff of permanent missions, at the Library Building, Room L-166 (First Floor), for the month of *December*:

General Assembly Documentation (English)

Introduction to United Nations Budget documents (English)

Introduction to United Nations Documents (English)

Country and Map Resources for the United Nations Community (English)

Treaty Research (English)

All interested are kindly requested to register by accessing Library Training Calendar (www.un.libcal.com).

For more information, please contact the Library (e-mail library-ny@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-3000).

Press kit for the sixty-ninth session of the General Assembly

The press kit for the sixty-ninth session of the General Assembly is now available online in all six official languages. Produced by the Department of Public Information (DPI), in cooperation with the Department for General Assembly and Conference Management (DGACM), the kit is paper-free.

Print-on-demand versions are available on the General Assembly website (*click here*), or via the PaperSmart portal (*click here*).

United Nations Regional Course in International Law for Africa 2015: Urgent appeal for voluntary contributions

The United Nations Regional Courses in International Law (RCIL) provide high-quality training by leading scholars and practitioners on a broad range of core subjects of international law, as well as specific subjects of particular interest to the countries in a given region. The Regional Courses also provide an opportunity for the participants to focus on contemporary issues of international law in the region with a view to promoting greater understanding and cooperation on such issues. For further information, please consult the website of the Regional Courses (*click here*).

The Under-Secretary-General for Legal Affairs and the Codification Division of the Office of Legal Affairs are urgently seeking contributions from Member States in order to ensure sufficient funding for the Regional Course in International Law for Africa, which will take place in February 2015 in Addis Ababa, Ethiopia.

For additional information concerning voluntary contributions, please contact Ms. Virginia Morris, Principal Legal Officer, Codification Division, Office of Legal Affairs (e-mail morrisv@un.org).

Repertoire of the Practice of the Security Council (Fifteenth Supplement - 2004-2007 (Vols. I and II))

The Department of Political Affairs recently published the fifteenth Supplement to the *Repertoire* of the Practice of the Security Council, covering the years from 2004 to 2007. The *Repertoire* is designed to assist government officials, practitioners of international law, academics and all those interested in the work of the United Nations to follow the evolving practice of the Council and gain a better understanding of the framework in which it operates.

For paper copies of the Fifteenth Supplement, please contact Mr. Louis Giordano, Meetings Support Section (tel. 1 (212) 963-7288).

Later supplements covering the period 2008 to 2011 are available in their advance version on line by *clicking here*.

United Nations Audiovisual Library of International Law: Urgent Appeal for voluntary contributions by the Under-Secretary-General for Legal Affairs

The United Nations Audiovisual Library of International Law (AVL) is a unique multi-media resource and key instrument for promoting a greater understanding of the essential role of the United Nations in the field of international law. It consists of a permanent collection of scholarly lectures, historic archives of significant international law instruments and an online legal research library providing extensive international law research materials. Since its launch on 28 October 2008, the Audiovisual Library has been accessed by almost one million users in all 193 Member States of the United Nations.

The United Nations Audiovisual Library of International Law is dependent on voluntary contributions. The Under-Secretary-General for Legal Affairs and the Codification Division are seeking voluntary contributions from Member States to support the continuation and further development of the Audiovisual Library in 2014.

The Under-Secretary-General for Legal Affairs and the Codification Division of the Office of Legal Affairs, wish to express their appreciation to the four Member States that have made voluntary contributions to support the AVL in 2014, namely, China, Ireland, Mexico and the United Kingdom.

For additional information or inquiries, please contact Ms. Virginia Morris, Principal Legal Officer, Codification Division, Office of Legal Affairs (e-mail morrisv@un.org).

Calendar of conferences and meetings

The 2014 calendar of conferences and meetings is available and posted on the Department for General Assembly and Conference Management (DGACM) website, or can be consulted by *clicking here*.

Summary of official meetings

Friday, 5 December 2014

General Assembly
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[archived video]

64th plenary meeting

Appointment of members of the Committee on Conferences: note by the Secretary-General (A/69/107) [item 113 (f)]

The General Assembly took note of the appointment by the President of the General Assembly of the Central African Republic, Namibia, Paraguay and the Russian Federation as members of the Committee on Conferences for a period of three years, beginning on 1 January 2015.

The General Assembly was informed that two seats from the Asia-Pacific States and one seat from the Western European and other States, for a period of three years beginning on 1 January 2015, remained vacant.

The General Assembly thus concluded this stage of its consideration of sub-item (f) of agenda item 113.

Reports of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee)

The Rapporteur of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) introduced the reports of the Committee on agenda items 48 to 59, 118 and 133.

Under rule 66 of the rules of procedure, the General Assembly decided not to discuss the reports of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) which were before the Assembly.

Effects of atomic radiation: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/69/451) [item 48]

The General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) in paragraph 8 of its report (A/69/451) (resolution 69/84).

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 48.

International cooperation in the peaceful uses of outer space: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/69/452) [item 49]

The General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) in paragraph 10 of its report (A/69/452) (resolution 69/85).

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 49.

United Nations Relief and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees in the Near East: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/69/453) [item 50]

The General Assembly proceeded to take action on draft resolutions I to IV recommended by the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) in paragraph 17 of its report (A/69/453), as follows:

	Yes	*No*	*Abstentions*
Draft resolution I (recorded vote) (resolution 69/86)	163	1	10
Draft resolution II (recorded vote) (resolution 69/87)	165	7	6
Draft resolution III (recorded vote) (resolution 69/88)	166	6	6
Draft resolution IV (recorded vote) (resolution 69/89)	165	7	6

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 50.

Report of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices Affecting the Human Rights of the Palestinian People and Other Arabs of the Occupied Territories: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/69/454) [item 51]

The General Assembly proceeded to take action on draft resolutions I to V recommended by the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) in paragraph 20 of its report (A/69/454), as follows:

	Yes	*No*	*Abstentions*
Draft resolution I (recorded vote) (resolution 69/90)	88	9	79
Draft resolution II (recorded vote) (resolution 69/91)	163	7	9
Draft resolution III (recorded vote) (resolution 69/92)	159	7	12
Draft resolution IV (recorded vote) (resolution 69/93)	158	8	11
Draft resolution V (recorded vote) (resolution 69/94)	162	1	15

The representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran made a statement in explanation of vote after the vote.

The representative of Spain made a statement on a point of order.

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 51.

Comprehensive review of the whole question of peacekeeping operations in all their aspects: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/69/455) [item 52]

The General Assembly took note of the report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/69/455).

The General Assembly thus concluded this stage of its consideration of agenda item 52.

Comprehensive review of special political missions: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/69/456) [item 53]

The General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) in paragraph 8 of its report (A/69/456) (resolution 69/95).

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 53.

Questions relating to information: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/69/457) [item 54]

The General Assembly adopted draft resolution A recommended by the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) in paragraph 15 of its report (A/69/457) (resolution 69/96 A).

The General Assembly adopted draft resolution B recommended by the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) in paragraph 15 of its report (A/69/457) (resolution 69/96 B).

The General Assembly adopted the draft decision recommended by the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) in paragraph 16 of its report (A/69/457) (decision 69/522).

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 54.

Information from Non-Self-Governing Territories transmitted under Article 73 e of the Charter of the United Nations: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/69/458) [item 55]

By 174 votes to none, with 4 abstentions (recorded vote), the General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) in paragraph 7 of its report (A/69/458) (resolution 69/97).

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 55.

Economic and other activities which affect the interests of the peoples of the Non-Self-Governing Territories: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/69/459) [item 56]

By 175 votes to 2, with 2 abstentions (recorded vote), the General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) in paragraph 7 of its report (A/69/459) (resolution 69/98).

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 56.

Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples by the specialized agencies and the international institutions associated with the United Nations: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/69/460) [item 57]

By 125 votes to none, with 53 abstentions (recorded vote), the General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) in paragraph 7 of its report (A/69/460) (resolution 69/99).

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 57.

Offers by Member States of study and training facilities for inhabitants of Non-Self-Governing Territories: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/69/461) [item 58]

The General Assembly adopted the draft resolution recommended by the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) in paragraph 7 of its report (A/69/461) (resolution 69/100).

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 58.

Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/69/462) [item 59]

The General Assembly proceeded to take action on draft resolutions I to VII recommended by the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) in paragraph 27 of its report (A/69/462), as follows:

	Yes	*No*	*Abstentions*
Draft resolution I (resolution 69/101)		Adopted	
Draft resolution II (resolution 69/102)		Adopted	
Draft resolution III (resolution 69/103)		Adopted	
Draft resolution IV (resolution 69/104)		Adopted	
Draft resolution V (resolution 69/105)		Adopted	
Draft resolution VI (recorded vote) (resolution 69/106)	173	3	1
Draft resolution VII (recorded vote) (resolution 69/107)	173	3	1

The General Assembly adopted the draft decision recommended by the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) in paragraph 28 of its report (A/69/462) (decision 69/523).

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of agenda item 59.

Revitalization of the work of the General Assembly: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/69/463) [item 118]

The General Assembly adopted draft decision I recommended by the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) in paragraph 8 of its report (A/69/463) (decision 69/524).

The General Assembly adopted draft decision II recommended by the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) in paragraph 8 of its report (A/69/463) (decision 69/525).

The General Assembly thus concluded this stage of its consideration of agenda item 118.

Programme planning: report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/69/464) [item 133]

The General Assembly took note of the report of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) (A/69/464).

The General Assembly thus concluded this stage of its consideration of agenda item 133.

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of all the reports of the Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) before it.

Programme of work

The General Assembly decided to extend the work of the Second Committee until Thursday, 11 December 2014.

Main Committees

Second Committee

[archived video]

37th meeting

A statement was made by the Chair (Italy) of the Committee.

Globalization and interdependence: Culture and sustainable development [item 21 (b)]

The Committee resumed its consideration of the sub-item.

Consideration of draft resolution A/C.2/69/L.41

Following a statement by the representative of the Plurinational State of Bolivia, the Committee decided to take no action on the draft resolution.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of the sub-item.

Sustainable development. Implementation of Agenda 21, the Programme for the Further Implementation of Agenda 21 and the outcomes of the World Summit on Sustainable Development and of the United Nations Conference on Sustainable Development [item 19 (a)]

The Committee resumed its consideration of the sub-item.

Introduction of and action on draft resolution A/C.2/69/L.12/Rev.1

The representative of Tajikistan introduced and orally corrected the draft resolution, and announced that Argentina, Austria, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Denmark, the Netherlands and Poland had joined as sponsors of the draft resolution.

Subsequently, Burkina Faso, Chile, Madagascar, Nicaragua, the Niger, Nigeria, Serbia and the United Arab Emirates also joined in sponsoring the draft resolution, as orally corrected.

Upon the proposal of the Chair, the Committee agreed to waive rule 120 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly and proceeded to take action on the draft resolution, as orally corrected.

The Committee was informed that the draft resolution contained no programme budget implications.

A statement was made by the representative of Uzbekistan.

The Committee adopted draft resolution A/C.2/69/L.12/Rev.1 as orally corrected.

Macroeconomic policy questions: External debt sustainability and development [item 17 (c)]

The Committee resumed its consideration of the sub-item.

Action on draft resolution A/C.2/69/L.4/Rev.1 and the programme budget implications as contained in document A/C.2/69/L.59

The attention of the Committee was drawn to document A/C.2/69/L.59 on the programme budget implications of draft resolution A/C.2/69/L.4/Rev.1.

A statement was made by the representative of the Plurinational State of Bolivia, on behalf of the Group of 77 and China.

The Committee adopted draft resolution A/C.2/69/L.4/Rev.1 by a recorded vote of 128 to 16, with 34 abstentions.

Before the vote, general statements were made by the representatives of Argentina, India, Egypt and the Sudan.

A statement in explanation of vote before the vote was made by the representative of the United States.

After the vote, statements in explanation of vote were made by the representatives of Italy (on behalf of the European Union), Japan and Australia.

General statements were made by the representatives of Ecuador, Chile, Mexico and Singapore.

Action on draft resolution A/C.2/69/L.3

The Committee was informed that the draft resolution contained no programme budget implications.

A statement was made by the representative of the Plurinational State of Bolivia, on behalf of the Group of 77 and China.

The Committee adopted the draft resolution by a recorded vote of 128 to 4, with 46 abstentions.

Before the vote, a statement in explanation of vote was made by the representative of the United States.

After the vote, a statement in explanation of vote was made by the representative of Japan.

A general statement was made by the representative of Colombia.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of sub-item 17 (c) and agenda item 17 as a whole.

Sustainable development: Follow-up to and implementation of the Mauritius Strategy for the Further Implementation of the Programme of Action for the Sustainable Development of Small Island Developing States [item 19 (b)]

The Committee resumed its consideration of the sub-item.

Action on draft resolutions A/C.2/69/L.24 and A/C.2/69/L.53

The Secretary of the Committee read out a statement of financial implications of draft resolution A/C.2/69/L.53.

Following a statement by the facilitator of the draft resolution (Jamaica), the Committee adopted draft resolution A/C.2/69/L.53.

After the adoption of the draft resolution, statements were made by the representatives of Samoa, the United States, Japan, Canada and the European Union.

In light of the adoption of draft resolution A/C.2/69/L.53, draft resolution A/C.2/69/L.24 was withdrawn by its sponsors.

Oral decision

On the proposal of the Chair, the Committee decided to take note of the report of the Secretary-General contained in document A/69/314.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of sub-item 19 (b).

Sustainable development: Harmony with Nature [item 19 (h)]

The Committee resumed its consideration of the sub-item.

Action on draft resolutions A/C.2/69/L.34 and A/C.2/69/L.63

The Committee was informed that draft resolution A/C.2/69/L.63 contained no programme budget implications.

The Committee adopted draft resolution A/C.2/69/L.63.

After the adoption of the draft resolution, statements were made by the representatives of Ecuador and the Plurinational State of Bolivia.

In light of the adoption of draft resolution A/C.2/69/L.63, draft resolution A/C.2/69/L.34 was withdrawn by its sponsors.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of sub-item 19 (h).

Globalization and interdependence: International migration and development [item 21 (a)]

The Committee resumed its consideration of the sub-item.

Action on draft resolutions A/C.2/69/L.32 and A/C.2/69/L.61

The Secretary of the Committee read out a statement of financial implications of draft resolution A/C.2/69/L.61.

Following a statement by the Vice-Chair (Poland), the Committee adopted draft resolution A/C.2/69/L.61.

After the adoption of the draft resolution, statements were made by the representatives of Ecuador, the United States and Colombia.

In light of the adoption of draft resolution A/C.2/69/L.61, draft resolution A/C.2/69/L.32 was withdrawn by its sponsors.

The Committee thus concluded its consideration of sub-item 21 (a) and agenda item 21 as a whole.

Organization of work

A statement was made by the Chair (Italy) of the Committee.

Economic and Social Council

2015 session

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3rd meeting

Special meeting on "Ebola - a threat to sustainable development"

Opening of the meeting

The President of the Economic and Social Council, His Excellency Martin Sajdik (Austria), made an opening statement.

The Secretary-General of the United Nations, His Excellency Ban Ki-moon, addressed the Council.

The President of the sixty-ninth session of the General Assembly, His Excellency Sam Kahamba Kutesa (Uganda), also addressed the Council.

Messages from the affected countries

Statements were made by His Excellency Mohamed Diare, Minister of Economy and Finance, Republic of Guinea (via video link); His Excellency Kaifala Marrah, Minister of Finance and Economic Development, Sierra Leone (via video link); His Excellency Mounir Siaplay, Deputy Minister for Economic Management, Ministry of Finance and Development, Liberia (via video link); and His Excellency Dianguina dit Yaya Doucouré, Chargé d'affaires a.i., Permanent Mission of the Republic of Mali to the United Nations.

Keynote addresses

The Council heard keynote addresses by Dr. Margaret Chan, Director-General, World Health Organization (via video link) and Dr. David Nabarro, United Nations Secretary-General's Special Envoy on Ebola (via video link).

Interactive dialogue

The interactive dialogue was moderated by Dr. Paul Farmer, Co-Founder of Partners in Health and Special Adviser to the Secretary-General on Community Based Medicine and Lessons from Haiti. The panellists were: Her Excellency Febe Potgieter-Gqubule, Special Advisor on Strategy Planning and Monitoring, Office of the African Union Commission Chairperson (via video-link); Mr. Abdalla Hamdok, Deputy Executive Secretary, Economic Commission for Africa (via video-link); Mr. Mead Over, Senior Fellow, Center for Global Development; Mr. Mark Roland Thomas, Practice Manager,

Macroeconomics and Fiscal Management Global Practices; Ms. Melanie Walker, Senior Adviser to the President, World Bank Group; Ms. Aleesha Taylor, Deputy Director, Open Society Education Support Programme, Open Society Foundations; and Mr. Alan Knight, Chair of the Ebola Private Sector Mobilization Group (EPSMG) and General Manager for Corporate Sustainability ArcelorMittal. The discussants were: Mr. Maged Abdelaziz, Under-Secretary-General and Special Adviser on Africa and Mr. Sunil Saigal, Principal Coordinator, United Nations Development Programme's Response to the Ebola Outbreak.

Statements were made by the representative of France, the Permanent Representative of Brazil in his capacity as Chair of the Peacebuilding Commission, the representatives of Cuba, China, the United States, the Russian Federation, Sweden, India, Germany, Kazakhstan and the United Kingdom, as well as by the observer of Finland.

A statement was also made by the observer of the European Union.

A statement was also made by the representative of the New Future Foundation Inc., a non-governmental organization in consultative status with the Economic and Social Council.

The President of the Council, His Excellency Martin Sajdik (Austria) made closing remarks.

Signatures, Ratifications, etc.

The dates indicated correspond to the dates of receipt of the relevant documents, except for the signatures.

[Multilateral Treaties Deposited with the Secretary-General]

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Food Assistance Convention. London, 25 April 2012

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Her Excellency Raimonda Murmokaitė

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His Excellency George Wilfred Talbot

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Andorra
His Excellency Narcís Casal de Fonsdeviela

Security Council

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General Assembly

Sixty-ninth session

10:00 — 66th plenary meeting — General Assembly Hall

[webcast]

Oceans and the law of the sea [item 74]

(a) Oceans and the law of the sea

(i) Reports of the Secretary-General (A/69/71 and A/69/71/Add.1)

(ii) Report on the work of the Ad Hoc Working Group of the Whole (A/69/77)

(iii) Report on the work of the United Nations Open-ended Informal Consultative Process (A/69/90)

(iv) Letter from the Co-Chairs of the Ad Hoc Open-ended Informal Working Group to the President of the General Assembly (A/69/177)

(v) Draft resolution (A/69/L.29)

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Security Council

10:00 — 7328th meeting — Security Council Chamber

[webcast]

1. Adoption of the agenda
2. The situation in Liberia

Letter dated 29 September 2014 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2014/707)

Letter dated 19 November 2014 from the Panel of Experts on Liberia established pursuant to resolution 2128 (2013) addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2014/831)

Morning[1] — 7329th meeting — Security Council Chamber

[webcast]

1. Adoption of the agenda

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[1] To be held following the adjournment of the 7328th meeting.

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(b) Sustainable fisheries, including through the 1995 Agreement for the Implementation of the Provisions of the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea of 10 December 1982 relating to the Conservation and Management of Straddling Fish Stocks and Highly Migratory Fish Stocks, and related instruments: draft resolution (A/69/L.30)

2. The situation in the Central African Republic

Letter dated 28 October 2014 from the Panel of Experts on the Central African Republic established pursuant to Security Council resolution 2127 (2013) addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2014/762)

Report of the Secretary-General on the situation in the Central African Republic (S/2014/857)

Letter dated 5 December 2014 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2014/870)

Morning[1] — Consultations of the whole (closed) — Consultations Room

United Nations Multidimensional Integrated Stabilization Mission in the Central African Republic (MINUSCA) (S/2014/857 and S/2014/870)

Central African Republic sanctions (S/2014/762)

Other matters

15:00 — 7330th meeting (closed) — Conference Room 4

[webcast]

1. Adoption of the agenda
2. Meeting of the Security Council with the troop- and police-contributing countries pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B

United Nations Mission in Liberia

16:00 — 7331st meeting — Security Council Chamber

[webcast]

1. Adoption of the agenda
2. Briefings by Chairs of subsidiary bodies of the Security Council

[1] To be held following the adjournment of the 7329th meeting.

General Assembly
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Informal meetings of the plenary as part of the preparatory process for the Third International Conference on Financing for Development will be held from *today*, 9 December to Friday, 12 December 2014, at 10:00 and 15:00, in the Trusteeship Council Chamber. The meeting on Wednesday, 10 December 2014, at 15:00, will take place in the Economic and Social Council Chamber. A letter from the President of the General Assembly, dated 24 October 2014, was sent to all permanent representatives and permanent observers. This series of meetings address the enabling environment, systemic issues, follow-up process and learning from partnerships. Additional information is available on the website of the Financing for Development Office (*click here*). [webcast]

General Assembly
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Main Committees

Second Committee

15:30 Informal meeting Conference Room 2

Discussion on the working methods of the Second Committee

[Delegations are reminded that the names of representatives, alternate representatives and advisers should be forwarded, *as soon as possible*, to the Secretary of the Second Committee, Ms. Jennifer de Laurentis (c/o Ms. Jacqueline Aidenbaum (e-mail aidenbaum@un.org; room S-1271; fax 1 (212) 963-5935)). Please note that only scanned copies of notes verbales or form A/INF/69/2* will be accepted by e-mail.

Background information and documentation relating to the work of the Committee are available at the following website: www.un.org/en/ga/second/index.shtml. For inquiries regarding access to the Second Committee QuickPlace, please contact Ms. Maria Theresa Olvida (e-mail 2ndcommittee@un.org).]

Fifth Committee

10:00 to 13:00 Informal consultations (closed) Conference Room 5

Informal consultations on agenda item 132 (Programme budget for the biennium 2014-2015:

Special political missions (SPMs): funding and backstopping arrangements (A/66/340 and A/66/7/Add.21)

United Nations Headquarters long-term accommodation needs (A/68/734 and A/68/798))

15:00 to 18:00	Informal consultations (closed)	Conference Room 5

Informal consultations on agenda item 132 (Programme budget for the biennium 2014-2015:

Revised estimates resulting from resolutions and decisions adopted by the Economic and Social Council (A/69/535 and A/69/609)

Capital master plan (A/69/360, A/69/5 (Vol. V)*, A/69/353 (Chapt. III) and A/69/529))

General Assembly

Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions

10:00 to 13:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 10
14:00 to 18:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 10
	Executive meeting	

Economic and Social Council

Commission on the Status of Women

Briefing

The Chair and the Bureau of the Commission on the Status of Women will hold a briefing in preparation for the fifty-ninth session of the Commission *today*, 9 December 2014, from 11:00 to 13:00, in the Economic and Social Council Chamber. All interested delegations are invited to attend.

Informal meetings on draft proposals convened by delegations

The agenda of the sixty-ninth session of the General Assembly is contained in documents A/69/251 and A/69/252. The meetings under this header are closed.

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General Assembly

Informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "Investigation into the conditions and circumstances resulting in the tragic death of Dag Hammarskjöld and of the members of the party accompanying him" (under agenda item 128) (convened by the delegation of Sweden)

At 17:00, in Conference Room A.

Other meetings

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Tuesday, 9 December 2014

Assembly of States Parties to the Rome Statute of the International Criminal Court (thirteenth session)

Second plenary meeting (election of six judges) [webcast]

10:00 to 13:00 Conference Room 1

15:00 to 18:00 Conference Room 1

[Conference Room E will serve as an overflow room.]

Group of 77 (on International cooperation on humanitarian assistance in the field of natural disasters, from relief to development)

10:00 to 13:00 Closed meeting Conference Room A

Other activities

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Briefing on "Financing for Development: What is at stake for the LDCs?" (co-organized by the Permanent Mission of Benin and the Office of the High Representative for the Least Developed Countries, Landlocked Developing Countries and Small Island Developing States (UN-OHRLLS))

From 13:15 to 14:45, in Conference Room 6.

[All are invited. For further information, please contact Mr. Abdul Alim, UN-OHRLLS (e-mail alim1@un.org); or Mr. Jonas Djebou (e-mail djonassucces@yahoo.fr).]

Event on "Justice Rapid Response: Strengthening the International Community's Investigative Capacity for Core International Crimes – Annual General Report" (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Finland, the Netherlands, Sweden, Switzerland and Uganda)

From 13:15 to 14:30, in Conference Room 8.

[All are invited. For further information, please contact Ms. Sari Mäkelä, Permanent Mission of Finland (e-mail sari.makela@formin.fi; tel. 1 (212) 821-0229); or Ms. Federica Tronchin (e-mail f.tronchin@justicerapidresponse.org; tel. 1 (212) 980-0193).]

Commemorative event on "Holodomor under International Law" (on the occasion of the eighty-first anniversary of the Holodomor of 1932-1933 in Ukraine) (organized by the Permanent Mission of Ukraine)

From 15:00 to 18:00, in the Dag Hammarskjöld Library Auditorium.

[All are invited. For further information, please contact Mr. Oleksiy Shapoval, Permanent Mission of Ukraine (e-mail shapovalalex85@gmail.com; tel. 1 (212) 759-7003).]

International launch of *Presidents United to Solve Hunger* (PUSH) (co-organized by the World Food Programme (WFP), the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO), the Hunger Solutions Institute, Association of Public and Land-grant Universities (APLU), USAID's Board of International Food and Agriculture Development, the Zero Hunger Challenge, and the Alliance to End Hunger)

From 15:00 to 17:00, in the Economic and Social Council Chamber. [webcast]

[All are invited. For further information, please contact the FAO Liaison Office in New York (e-mail faolon-director@un.org).]

Press conferences

The schedule is tentative; up-to-date information can be obtained at www.un.org/sg/spokesperson/confschedule.asp.

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Press Briefing Room (S-0237) [webcast]

12:00	Press briefing by the Spokesperson
12:30	Anniversary of the Genocide Convention [*Speakers:* Mr. Adama Dieng, Special Adviser of the Secretary-General on Prevention of Genocide; and Ms. Fatou Bensouda, International Criminal Court (ICC) Prosecutor] [*Moderator:* Ms. Margaret Novicki, Chief, Communications Campaigns Service, United Nations Department of Public Information]
13:30	Press conference by the Coalition for the International Criminal Court (CICC) on the thirteenth session of the Assembly of States Parties to the Rome Statute [*Speakers:* Ms. Stephanie Barbour, Head of Amnesty International's Centre for International Justice; Ms. Karine Bonneau, International Federation for Human Rights; Ms. Brigid Inder, Executive Director, Women's Initiatives for Gender Justice; and Mr. James Gondi, Kenyans for Peace with Truth and Justice] [*Moderator:* Mr. Niall Matthews, Head of Communications, Coalition for the International Criminal Court] (sponsored by the Permanent Mission of Costa Rica)

General Assembly
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Informal informal consultations of the plenary on the post-2015 development agenda will be held on Wednesday, 10 December 2014, from 13:15 to 14:30, in Conference Room 4.

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Sixty-ninth session

An event convened by the President of the General Assembly to launch the International Decade for People of African Descent, with the theme "People of African Descent: recognition, justice and development", will be held on Wednesday, 10 December 2014, at 15:00, in the Trusteeship Council Chamber. A letter from the President of the General Assembly, dated 31 October 2014, was sent to all permanent representatives and permanent observers.

Forthcoming official meetings

Wednesday, 10 December 2014

General Assembly
Sixty-ninth session

10:00 — 67th plenary meeting[1] — General Assembly Hall

1. Election of twenty members of the Committee for Programme and Coordination: note by the Secretary-General (A/69/291/Add.1) [item 112 (a)]
2. Cooperation between the United Nations and the Association of Southeast Asian Nations: draft resolution (A/69/L.31) [item 123 (c)]
3. Cooperation between the United Nations and the Economic Cooperation Organization: draft resolution (A/69/L.11/Rev.1) [item 123 (k)]
4. Cooperation between the United Nations and the Preparatory Commission for the Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty Organization: draft resolution (A/69/L.15) [item 123 (v)]
5. Organization of work, adoption of the agenda and allocation of items; Appointment of members of the Committee on Contributions: report of the Fifth Committee (A/69/565/Add.1) [items 7[2] and 113 (b)]

[1]The General Assembly will begin consideration of the Reports of the Sixth Committee at 12:00.
[2]To re-open consideration of sub-item (b) of agenda item 113.

6. United Nations pension system: report of the Fifth Committee (A/69/637) [item 140]

7. Appointment of the judges of the United Nations Appeals Tribunal [item 113 (i)]

   (a) Memorandum by the Secretary-General (A/69/555)

   (b) Report of the Internal Justice Council (A/69/373)

   (c) Note by the President of the General Assembly (A/69/373/Add.1)

8. Criminal accountability of United Nations officials and experts on mission: report of the Sixth Committee (A/69/495) [item 75]

9. Report of the United Nations Commission on International Trade Law on the work of its forty-seventh session: report of the Sixth Committee (A/69/496) [item 76]

10. United Nations Programme of Assistance in the Teaching, Study, Dissemination and Wider Appreciation of International Law: report of the Sixth Committee (A/69/497) [item 77]

11. Report of the International Law Commission on the work of its sixty-sixth session: report of the Sixth Committee (A/69/498) [item 78]

12. Status of the Protocols Additional to the Geneva Conventions of 1949 and relating to the protection of victims of armed conflicts: report of the Sixth Committee (A/69/499) [item 79]

13. Consideration of effective measures to enhance the protection, security and safety of diplomatic and consular missions and representatives: report of the Sixth Committee (A/69/500) [item 80]

14. Report of the Special Committee on the Charter of the United Nations and on the Strengthening of the Role of the Organization: report of the Sixth Committee (A/69/501) [item 81]

15. The rule of law at the national and international levels: report of the Sixth Committee (A/69/502) [item 82]

16. The scope and application of the principle of universal jurisdiction: report of the Sixth Committee (A/69/503) [item 83]

17. Effects of armed conflicts on treaties: report of the Sixth Committee (A/69/504) [item 84]

18. Responsibility of international organizations: report of the Sixth Committee (A/69/505) [item 85]

19. Measures to eliminate international terrorism: report of the Sixth Committee (A/69/506) [item 107]

20. Revitalization of the work of the General Assembly: report of the Sixth Committee (A/69/507) [item 118]

21. Programme planning: report of the Sixth Committee (A/69/508) [item 133]

22. Report of the Committee on Relations with the Host Country: report of the Sixth Committee (A/69/510) [item 168]

23. Observer status for the Cooperation Council of Turkic-speaking States in the General Assembly: report of the Sixth Committee (A/69/511) [item 169]

24. Observer status for the International Chamber of Commerce in the General Assembly: report of the Sixth Committee (A/69/512) [item 170]

25. Observer status for the Developing Eight Countries Organization for Economic Cooperation in the General Assembly: report of the Sixth Committee (A/69/513) [item 171]

26. Observer status for the Pacific Community in the General Assembly: report of the Sixth Committee (A/69/514) [item 172]

General Assembly
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The agenda of the sixty-ninth regular session of the General Assembly was adopted on 19 September 2014 and issued in document A/69/251 (see document A/69/252 for allocation of items).

The annotated preliminary list of items to be included in the provisional agenda of the sixty-ninth regular session of the General Assembly was issued in documents A/69/100 and A/69/100/Add.1.

Since the issuance of the programme of work and schedule of plenary meetings of the General Assembly (A/INF/69/3/Rev.1), the following change has been made:

> Consideration of agenda item 31 (The role of diamonds in fuelling conflict), originally scheduled for Friday, 5 December, and agenda item 124 (Global health and foreign policy) originally scheduled for Wednesday, 10 December, have been postponed to Thursday, 11 December 2014.

Additional updates to the programme of work and schedule of plenary meetings of the General Assembly are available by *clicking here*.

List of speakers

Delegations wishing to speak in the plenary meetings are kindly requested to inscribe with the list of speakers, General Assembly Affairs Branch (Ms. Antonina Poliakova, room S-3082, tel. 1 (212) 963-5063; e-mail poliakova@un.org).

For the submission of a draft resolution for the plenary, please call 1 (212) 963-3818 (room S-3053). Please *click here* for the guidelines for submission of draft resolutions in the General Assembly.

Credential of representatives

Delegations are reminded that the credentials of representatives and the names of alternate representatives and advisers, issued in accordance with rule 27 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly, and signed by the Head of State or Government or Minister of Foreign Affairs should be delivered to the Office of Legal Affairs (room S-3608).

Announcement for Member States on issuance of communications

Delegations requesting issuance of communications as documents of the General Assembly should ensure that they are addressed to the Secretary-General and signed by the Permanent Representative or Chargé d'affaires of the Permanent Mission to the United Nations. The communications should indicate the session of the General Assembly, and the number and title of the agenda item under which circulation is requested, using the agenda of the sixty-ninth session of the General Assembly contained in document A/69/251.

Electronic versions in Microsoft Word should be sent to gaab@un.org, or to dpu-dgacm@un.org, to facilitate the processing of communications. If versions in any other United Nations official languages are available, they should be included with a clear indication of the original language and/or which language versions are to be used for reference only.

Main Committees

Fifth Committee

The Fifth Committee will hold its 19th meeting on Wednesday, 10 December 2014, at 10:00, in Conference Room 3. Informal consultations (closed) will be held following the adjournment of the 19th meeting, in Conference Room 5.

General Assembly

Special Committee on Peacekeeping Operations
Informal briefing

The Department of Field Support and the Department of Peacekeeping Operations will provide an informal briefing (closed), to members of the Special Committee on Peacekeeping Operations, on Monday, 15 December 2014, at 10:00, in the Trusteeship Council Chamber: on inter-mission cooperation; and health.

Economic and Social Council

2015 session
Dialogue on the longer-term positioning of the United Nations development system

In accordance with Council resolution 2014/14, the Economic and Social Council will convene a transparent and inclusive dialogue involving Member States and all relevant stakeholders on the longer-term positioning of the United Nations development system, taking into account the post-2015 development agenda. The first session of the dialogue will be held on Monday, 15 December 2014, from 10:00 to 13:00 and from 15:00 to 17:30, in the Economic and Social Council Chamber. The meeting will be chaired and moderated by the Vice-President of the Council, Her Excellency Maria Emma Mejia Vélez (Colombia).

The preliminary programme is available by *clicking here*. The dialogues will be interactive in nature and as such, there will be no pre-determined list of speakers. For further information, please contact Mr. Kirit Patel, Office for the Economic and Social Council Support and Coordination, Department of Economic and Social Affairs (e-mail patelk@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-3944). Delegates are reminded that PaperSmart services will be offered as an additional service for all the meetings of the 2015 session of the Economic and Social Council. Please *click here* for the the PaperSmart portal of the Council.

Committee on Non-Governmental Organizations
Informal consultations

The Committee on Non-Governmental Organizations will hold informal consultations on Wednesday, 17 and Thursday, 18 December 2014, from 10:00 to 13:00 and from 15:00 to 18:00, in Conference Room 9, to discuss new applications.

All members of the Committee are strongly encouraged to attend.

Participation in the informal consultations is open to members of the Committee only.

United Nations Children's Fund

Executive Board
Informal briefings

In preparation for its 2015 first regular session, the Executive Board of UNICEF will hold informal briefings as indicated below. All interested delegations are invited to attend.

Wednesday, 10 December 2014, from 10:00 to 13:00, in Conference Room 8, on: (a) UNICEF annual financial report and audited financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2013 and report of the Board of Auditors; and (b) Private fundraising: 2015 work plan and proposed budget; and

Tuesday, 16 December 2014, from 10:00 to 13:00, in Conference Room 4, on: (a) UNICEF work with countries transitioning from middle to high income status; and (b) the Ebola situation.

Forthcoming informal meetings on draft proposals convened by delegations

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General Assembly

Informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "Investigation into the conditions and circumstances resulting in the tragic death of Dag Hammarskjöld and of the members of the party accompanying him" (under agenda item 128) (convened by the delegation of Sweden)

Wednesday, 10 December 2014, from 15:00 to 18:00, in Conference Room 6.

Forthcoming other meetings

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Western European and Other States Group (monthly meeting)

Wednesday, 17 December 2014, from 15:00 to 18:00, in Conference Room 8.

Forthcoming other activities

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Dialogue between the co-facilitators of the preparatory process for the Third International Conference on Financing for Development with the civil society and the business sector (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Guyana and Norway, in collaboration with the United Nations Non-Governmental Liaison Service (UN-NGLS))

Wednesday, 10 December 2014, from 09:00 to 09:45, in Conference Room 6.

[All are invited. For further information, please contact Ms. Susan Alzner, UN-NGLS (e-mail alzner@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-3125).]

Event on "Human rights dimension in trafficking in persons" (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of the Philippines and Romania, and the NGO Committee to Stop Trafficking in Persons)

Wednesday, 10 December 2014, from 10:00 to 11:30, in Conference Room E.

[All are invited. For further information please contact Ms. Elisabeta David, Permanent Mission of Romania (e-mail elisabeta.david@romaniaun.org; tel. 1 (212) 682-3273.]

Special event on "Love is a family value: Supporting all families and family members" (on the occasion of Human Rights Day (10 December)) (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Argentina, Brazil, Colombia, Croatia, El Salvador, France, Israel, Japan, Montenegro, the Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, the United Kingdom, Uruguay, the United States Mission, the Delegation of the European Union, the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights (OHCHR), the Human Rights Watch (HRW) and the International Gay and Lesbian Human Rights Commission (IGLHRC))

Wednesday, 10 December 2014, from 11:00 to 13:00, in the Economic and Social Council Chamber.

[All are invited. For further information, please *click here*; or contact the Delegation of the European Union (e-mail stefan.van-uden@eeas.europa.eu).]

Side events on the occasion of the thirteenth session of the Assembly of States Parties to the Rome Statute of the International Criminal Court

Event on "Cooperation in the area of witness protection" (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Brazil, the Netherlands, and Norway and the International Criminal Court)

Wednesday, 10 December 2014, from 13:00 to 14:00, in Conference Room 8.

[All are invited. For further information, please contact Ms. Chairty Kagwi-Ndungu, United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime (UNODC) (e-mail kagwi@un.org, tel. 1 (212) 963-3963).]

Commemorative event on the twentieth anniversary of the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda (ICTR) (organized by the United Nations International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda)

Wednesday, 10 December 2014, from 13:15 to 14:00, in the Economic and Social Council Chamber.

[All are invited. For further information and to register, please contact Ms. Amanda Grafstrom, ICTR (e-mail ictrlegacy@un.org).]

Panel discussion on "First Responders and the Use of Digital Evidence" (co-organized by Permanent Mission of Liechtenstein and the Open Society Justice Initiative (OSJI))

Wednesday, 10 December 2014, from 13:15 to 14:30, in Conference Room 7.

[All are invited. For further information, contact Mr. René Holbach, Permanent Mission of Liechtenstein (e-mail rene.holbach@nyc.llv.li; tel. 1 (212) 599-0220, ext. 230); Ms. Alison Cole, OSJI (e-mail alison.cole@opensocietyfoundations.org); or *click here*.]

Panel discussion on "Participatory Rights of Victims of International Crimes in National Criminal Justice Systems: Prospects for effective complementarity" (co-organized by the Permanent Mission of Finland, the Institute for Security Studies, and REDRESS)

Wednesday, 10 December 2014, from 13:15 to 14:45, in Conference Room 2.

[All are invited. For further information, please contact Ms. Sari Mäkelä, Permanent Mission of Finland (e-mail sari.makela@formin.fi; tel. 1 (212) 821-0229).]

Briefing and TEDx Viewing on "TEDxPlaceDesNations Impact: Post-2015 negotiation process, to be adopted by the United Nations in 2015" (co-organized by the United Nations Office at Geneva (UNOG) and Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees (UNHCR); in collaboration with the Department of Public Information (DPI) and the Department of Economic and Social Affairs (DESA))

Thursday, 11 December 2014, from 09:00 to 13:00, in the Dag Hammarskjöld Auditorium.

[All are invited. For further information, please contact Ms. Hawa Diallo, NGO Relations Section (e-mail diallo9@un.org; tel. 1 (917) 367-9380).]

Launch of the United Nations Population Fund report *Lessons From the First Cycle of the Universal Periodic Review: From Commitment to Action on Sexual and Reproductive Health and Rights* (on the occasion of the Human Rights Day) (organized by the United Nations Population Fund (UNFPA))

Thursday, 11 December 2014, from 09:30 to 11:00, in Conference Room A.

[All are invited. For further information, please contact Ms. Carol Crichlow, UNFPA (e-mail chrichlow@unfpa.org).]

Event to launch the *Framework of Analysis for Atrocity Crimes* "From early-warning to early action: the contribution of new tools and non-State actors for an effective prevention strategy" (co-organized by the Office of the Special Adviser of the Secretary-General on the Prevention of Genocide and the Permanent Missions of Italy and the United Republic of Tanzania)

Thursday, 11 December 2014, from 10:00 to 12:00, in Conference Room 6.

[All are invited. For further information and registration, please contact Ms. Claudia Diaz, Department of Political Affairs (DPA) (e-mail diazc@un.org; tel. 1 (917) 367-2061).]

Event on "Mutual legal assistance and extradition for war crimes, crimes against humanity and crime of genocide – Initiative for a multilateral treaty" (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Argentina, Belgium, the Netherlands and Slovenia)

Thursday, 11 December 2014, from 13:15 to 14:45, in Conference Room 6.

[All are invited. For further information, please contact Ms. Florence Latinis-Sostre, Permanent Mission of Belgium (e-mail florence.latinis@diplobel.fed.be; tel. 1 (212) 378-6387).]

Panel discussion on "Gender equality and women's rights in the Financing for Development framework" (co-organized by the Permanent Mission of Ireland, the United Nations Entity for Gender Equality and the Empowerment of Women (UN Women), and the Financing for Development Office, Department of Economic and Social Affairs (DESA))

Thursday, 11 December 2014, from 13:15 to 14:45, in the Trusteeship Council Chamber.

[All are invited. For further information, please contact Ms. Zohra Khan, UN-Women (e-mail zohra.khan@unwomen.org); or Mr. Peter Chowla, FFDO (e-mail chowla@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-8618).]

Panel discussion on "Universal health coverage (UHC) and resilience: Lessons from the Ebola epidemic" (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of France, Germany and Japan, in collaboration with the Columbia University Mailman School of Public Health and the Rockefeller Foundation)

Friday, 12 December 2014, from 09:00 to 11:00, in Conference Room 6.

[All are invited. For further information, please contact Ms. Rachel Rouchouse, Permanent Mission of France (e-mail rachel.rouchouse@diplomatie.gouv.fr; tel. 1 (212) 702-4933).]

Event on "Victims' perspectives on the role of the Rome Statute – Fulfilling victims' rights and delivering reparative justice" (co-organized by the Permanent Mission of the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela and the Victims' Rights Working Group)

Friday, 12 December 2014, from 13:15 to 14:30, in the Economic and Social Council Chamber.

[All are invited. For further information and for registration, please contact Ms. Glenna Cabello de Daboin, Permanent Mission of the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela (e-mail glennacd@gmail.com; tel. 1 (212) 557-2055).]

Panel discussion on "Advancing Equality and Gender Justice – the Colombian case" (co-organized by the United Nations Population Fund (UNFPA) and the United States Agency for International Development (USAID))

Friday, 12 December 2014, from 13:15 to 14:45, in Conference Room 2.

[All are invited. For further information, please contact Ms. Ida Krogh Mikkelsen, UNFPA (e-mail mikkelsen@unfpa.org).]

Panel discussion on "Delivering on the post-2015 development agenda: What role for public-private partnerships?" (co-organized by the Financing for Development Office, Department of Economic and Social Affairs (DESA) and the New Rules for Global Finance Coalition)

Friday, 12 December 2014, from 13:15 to 14:45, in the Trusteeship Council Chamber.

[All are invited. For further information, please contact Mr. Daniel Platz, FFDO (e-mail platz@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-3664).]

Panel discussion on "Perspectives on Mountains and Sustainable Development in a Post-2015 Agenda" (in observance of the International Mountain Day (11 December)) (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Argentina and Switzerland, the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO) and the Mountain Partnership Secretariat)

Friday, 12 December 2014, from 13:15 to 14:30, in Conference Room 6.

[All are invited. For further information, please contact the FAO Liaison Office in New York (e-mail lon-registry@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-6036).]

Launch of the 2010 *Yearbook of the United Nations* (organized by the Department of Public Information Yearbook Unit)

Monday, 15 December 2014, from 12:00 to 14:00, in the Woodrow Wilson Reading Room, in the Dag Hammarskjöld Library, 2nd Floor.

[All permanent missions, observer missions and United Nations correspondents are invited. For further information and registration, please contact Mr. Finn Summerell, DPI (e-mail summerell@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-8293); or e-mail unyearbook@un.org).]

Panel discussion on "Documenting international crimes to end impunity in Syria" (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Denmark and the Netherlands)

Monday 15 December 2014, from 13:15 to 14:30, in Conference Room 7.

[For further information, please contact the Permanent Mission of the Netherlands (e-mail nyv-rsvp@minbuza.nl).]

Event on "Children, sport and development – CRC@25: achievements and looking to post-2015" (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Italy and Jamaica, the United Nations Children's Fund (UNICEF), the United Nations Office on Sport for Development and Peace (UNOSDP) and the Office of the Special Representative of the Secretary-General on Violence against Children (SRSG-VAC))

Monday, 15 December 2014, from 15:00 to 18:00, in the Trusteeship Council Chamber.

[All are invited. For further information and to register, please contact Ms. Isabella Periotto, Permanent Mission of Italy (e-mail sec.italyun@esteri.it; tel. 1 (646) 840-5388).]

High-level panel discussion on "Migration in the Post-2015 United Nations Development Agenda" (co-organized by the International Organization for Migration (IOM), and the Permanent Missions of Costa Rica and Germany)

Wednesday, 17 December 2014, from 10:00 to 13:00, in Conference Room 3.

[All are invited. For further information, please contact Mr. Kevin Ritchie, IOM (e-mail kritchie@iom.int; tel. 1 (212) 681-7000, ext. 236); or e-mail unobserver@iom.int.]

Announcements

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United Nations Regional Course in International Law for Africa 2015: Urgent appeal for voluntary contributions

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The Under-Secretary-General for Legal Affairs and the Codification Division of the Office of Legal Affairs are urgently seeking contributions from Member States in order to ensure sufficient funding for the Regional Course in International Law for Africa, which will take place in February 2015 in Addis Ababa, Ethiopia.

For additional information concerning voluntary contributions, please contact Ms. Virginia Morris, Principal Legal Officer, Codification Division, Office of Legal Affairs (e-mail morrisv@un.org).

***Repertoire* of the Practice of the Security Council (Fifteenth Supplement - 2004-2007 (Vols. I and II))**

The Department of Political Affairs recently published the fifteenth Supplement to the *Repertoire* of the Practice of the Security Council, covering the years from 2004 to 2007. The *Repertoire* is designed to assist government officials, practitioners of international law, academics and all those interested in the work of the United Nations to follow the evolving practice of the Council and gain a better understanding of the framework in which it operates.

For paper copies of the Fifteenth Supplement, please contact Mr. Louis Giordano, Meetings Support Section (tel. 1 (212) 963-7288).

Later supplements covering the period 2008 to 2011 are available in their advance version on line by *clicking here*.

United Nations Audiovisual Library of International Law: Urgent Appeal for voluntary contributions by the Under-Secretary-General for Legal Affairs

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The United Nations Audiovisual Library of International Law is dependent on voluntary contributions. The Under-Secretary-General for Legal Affairs and the Codification Division are seeking voluntary contributions from Member States to support the continuation and further development of the Audiovisual Library in 2014.

The Under-Secretary-General for Legal Affairs and the Codification Division of the Office of Legal Affairs, wish to express their appreciation to the four Member States that have made voluntary contributions to support the AVL in 2014, namely, China, Ireland, Mexico and the United Kingdom.

For additional information or inquiries, please contact Ms. Virginia Morris, Principal Legal Officer, Codification Division, Office of Legal Affairs (e-mail morrisv@un.org).

Calendar of conferences and meetings

The 2014 calendar of conferences and meetings is available and posted on the Department for General Assembly and Conference Management (DGACM) website, or can be consulted by *clicking here*.

Summary of official meetings

Monday, 8 December 2014

General Assembly
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[archived video]

65th plenary meeting

Integrated and coordinated implementation of and follow-up to the outcomes of the major United Nations conferences and summits in the economic, social and related fields; and Follow-up to the outcome of the Millennium Summit [items 13 (a) and 115]

(a) Note by the Secretary-General (A/69/315)

(b) Draft resolution (A/69/L.32)

Joint debate

The General Assembly resumed its consideration of sub-item (a) of agenda item 13 and agenda item 115.

Statements were made by the representatives of the Plurinational State of Bolivia (on behalf of the Group of 77 and China), the European Union (also on behalf of the candidate countries Turkey and Serbia; the country of the Stabilization and Association Process and potential candidate Bosnia and Herzegovina; as well as the Republic of Moldova, which aligned themselves with the statement), Slovakia, Australia, Canada, Finland, Japan, Madagascar (on behalf of the African States), Singapore, India, the Islamic Republic of Iran, Estonia, Switzerland, Egypt, the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela, the United Kingdom, the United States, Germany, China, Brazil, Bangladesh, Ecuador, France, Benin (on behalf of the Least Developed Countries) and Argentina.

The General Assembly adopted draft resolution A/69/L.32 (resolution 69/108).

The General Assembly thus concluded this stage of its consideration of sub-item (a) of agenda item 13 and agenda item 115.

Programme of work

The General Assembly decided to postpone the date of recess of the sixty-ninth session to Wednesday, 24 December 2014.

The General Assembly also decided to extend the work of the Fifth Committee until Tuesday, 23 December 2014.

Economic and Social Council

2015 session

[archive video]

4th meeting

Panel discussion on "The impact of credit rating agencies on financing for sustainable development"

The President of the Economic and Social Council, His Excellency Martin Sajdik (Austria), opened the meeting and made a statement.

The panel discussion was moderated by Ms. Merli Baroudi, Director and Chief Credit Officer, World Bank Group. Presentations were made by the following panellists: Ms. Chee Mee Hu, Managing Director, Project Finance and Infrastructure Group, Moody's Investor Service; Mr. Thomas Missong, President, European Association of Credit Rating Agencies; Mr. Bruno Bertocci, Managing Director and Global Equity Portfolio Manager, UBS Global Asset Management (Americas) Inc.; and Professor John C. Coffee, Columbia Law School, Columbia University, New York.

In the ensuing interactive discussion, the panellists responded to the questions posed and the comments made by the representatives of Ethiopia and the Philippines.

The observer for the European Union also participated in the interactive discussion.

The President of the Economic and Social Council made concluding remarks.

General information

Chairs of the regional groups

The following information regarding the chairmanship of the regional groups for the month of *December 2014* has been communicated to the Secretariat:

African States:
Madagascar
His Excellency Zina Andrianarivelo-Razafy

Asia-Pacific States:
Uzbekistan
His Excellency Muzaffarbek Madrakhimov

Eastern European States:
Lithuania
Her Excellency Raimonda Murmokaitė

Latin American and Caribbean States:
Guyana
His Excellency George Wilfred Talbot

Western European and other States:
Andorra
His Excellency Narcis Casal de Fonsdeviela

Security Council

Communications to the President of the Security Council

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Website of the presidency

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A/69/586 Item 161 (a) — Financing of the United Nations peacekeeping forces in the Middle East: United Nations Disengagement Observer Force — Budget performance of the United Nations Disengagement Observer Force for the period from 1 July 2013 to 30 June 2014 — Report of the Secretary-General [A C E F R S] — *27 pages*

A/69/590/Corr.1 Item 132 — Programme budget for the biennium 2014-2015 — Revised estimates relating to the programme budget for the biennium 2014-2015 under sections 5, Peacekeeping operations, 8, Legal affairs, 27, Humanitarian assistance, 29B, Office of Programme Planning, Budget and Accounts, 29C, Office of Human Resources Management, 29D, Office of Central Support Services, 34, Safety and security, and 36, Staff assessment — Office of the Special Envoy on Ebola and the United Nations Mission for Ebola Emergency Response — Report of the Secretary-General [A C E F R S] — *1 page*

A/69/622 Item 31 — The role of diamonds in fuelling conflict — Note verbale dated 28 November 2014 from the Permanent Mission of China to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General [A C E F R S] — *8 pages*

A/69/L.27/Add.1 Item 123 (i) — Cooperation between the United Nations and regional and other organizations: cooperation between the United Nations and the Council of Europe — Albania, Armenia, Austria, Azerbaijan, Belgium, Bulgaria, Croatia, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, France, Georgia, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Israel, Italy, Japan, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Monaco, Netherlands, Poland, Portugal, Serbia, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, Switzerland, Turkey, Ukraine and United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland: draft resolution — Cooperation between the United Nations and the Council of Europe [A C E F R S] — *1 page*

Second Committee

A/C.2/69/L.60 Item 22 (a) — Follow-up to the Fourth United Nations Conference on the Least Developed Countries — Draft resolution submitted by the Rapporteur of the Committee, Borg Tsien Tham (Singapore), on the basis of informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/69/L.26 — Follow-up to the Fourth United Nations Conference on the Least Developed Countries [A C E F R S] — *10 pages*

A/C.2/69/L.64 Item 19 (a) — Sustainable development: implementation of Agenda 21, the Programme for the Further Implementation of Agenda 21 and the outcomes of the World Summit on Sustainable Development and of the United Nations Conference on Sustainable Development — Draft resolution submitted by the Vice-Chair of the Committee, Tishka Francis (Bahamas), on the basis of informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/69/L.31 — Implementation of Agenda 21, the Programme for the Further Implementation of Agenda 21 and the outcomes of the World Summit on Sustainable Development and of the United Nations Conference on Sustainable Development [A C E F R S] — *6 pages*

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S/2014/846 Identical letters dated 23 November 2014 from the Permanent Representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council [A C E F R S] — *9 pages*

S/2014/870	Letter dated 5 December 2014 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council [A C E F R S] — *5 pages*
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S/2014/872	Letter dated 5 December 2014 from the representatives of Australia, Chile, France, Jordan, Lithuania, Luxembourg, the Republic of Korea, Rwanda, the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland and the United States of America to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council [A C E F R S] — *2 pages*

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10:00 — *68th plenary meeting*[1] — General Assembly Hall

[webcast]

1. Election of twenty members of the Committee for Programme and Coordination: note by the Secretary-General (A/69/291/Add.1) [item 112 (a)]
2. Cooperation between the United Nations and the Association of Southeast Asian Nations: draft resolution (A/69/L.31) [item 123 (c)]
3. Cooperation between the United Nations and the Economic Cooperation Organization: draft resolution (A/69/L.11/Rev.1) [item 123 (k)]
4. Cooperation between the United Nations and the Preparatory Commission for the Comprehensive Nuclear-Test-Ban Treaty Organization: draft resolution (A/69/L.15) [item 123 (v)]

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[1] The General Assembly will begin consideration of the Reports of the Sixth Committee at 12:00.

Security Council

10:00 — 7332nd meeting — Security Council Chamber

[webcast]

1. Adoption of the agenda
2. International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of the Former Yugoslavia since 1991

   International Criminal Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Genocide and Other Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of Rwanda and Rwandan Citizens Responsible for Genocide and Other Such Violations Committed in the Territory of Neighbouring States between 1 January 1994 and 31 December 1994

   Report of the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda (S/2014/546)

   Report of the International Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia (S/2014/556)

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5. Organization of work, adoption of the agenda and allocation of items; Appointment of members of the Committee on Contributions: report of the Fifth Committee (A/69/565/Add.1) [items 7[1] and 113 (b)]

6. United Nations pension system: report of the Fifth Committee (A/69/637) [item 140]

7. Appointment of the judges of the United Nations Appeals Tribunal [item 113 (i)]

   (a) Memorandum by the Secretary-General (A/69/555)

   (b) Report of the Internal Justice Council (A/69/373)

   (c) Note by the President of the General Assembly (A/69/373/Add.1)

8. Criminal accountability of United Nations officials and experts on mission: report of the Sixth Committee (A/69/495) [item 75]

9. Report of the United Nations Commission on International Trade Law on the work of its forty-seventh session: report of the Sixth Committee (A/69/496) [item 76]

10. United Nations Programme of Assistance in the Teaching, Study, Dissemination and Wider Appreciation of International Law: report of the Sixth Committee (A/69/497) [item 77]

11. Report of the International Law Commission on the work of its sixty-sixth session: report of the Sixth Committee (A/69/498) [item 78]

12. Status of the Protocols Additional to the Geneva Conventions of 1949 and relating to the protection of victims of armed conflicts: report of the Sixth Committee (A/69/499) [item 79]

13. Consideration of effective measures to enhance the protection, security and safety of diplomatic and consular missions and representatives: report of the Sixth Committee (A/69/500) [item 80]

14. Report of the Special Committee on the Charter of the United Nations and on the Strengthening of the Role of the Organization: report of the Sixth Committee (A/69/501) [item 81]

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[1] To reopen consideration of sub-item (b) of agenda item 113.

Letter dated 19 November 2014 from the President of the International Residual Mechanism for Criminal Tribunals addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2014/826)

Letter dated 19 November 2014 from the President of the International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of the Former Yugoslavia since 1991, addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2014/827)

Letter dated 19 November 2014 from the President of the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2014/829)

15:00 — 7333rd meeting (closed) — Conference Room 4

1. Adoption of the agenda
2. Meeting of the Security Council with the troop- and police-contributing countries pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B

United Nations Disengagement Observer Force

16:00 — 7334th meeting — Security Council Chamber

[webcast]

1. Adoption of the agenda
2. Central African region

Report of the Secretary-General on the activities of the United Nations Regional Office for Central Africa and on the Lord's Resistance Army-affected areas (S/2014/812)

Afternoon[1] — Consultations of the whole (closed) — Consultations Room

United Nations Regional Office for Central Africa (UNOCA)/Lord's Resistance Army (LRA) (S/2014/812)

Other matters

[1] To be held following the adjournment of the 7334th meeting of the Security Council.

15. The rule of law at the national and international levels: report of the Sixth Committee (A/69/502) [item 82]

16. The scope and application of the principle of universal jurisdiction: report of the Sixth Committee (A/69/503) [item 83]

17. Effects of armed conflicts on treaties: report of the Sixth Committee (A/69/504) [item 84]

18. Responsibility of international organizations: report of the Sixth Committee (A/69/505) [item 85]

19. Measures to eliminate international terrorism: report of the Sixth Committee (A/69/506) [item 107]

20. Revitalization of the work of the General Assembly: report of the Sixth Committee (A/69/507) [item 118]

21. Programme planning: report of the Sixth Committee (A/69/508) [item 133]

22. Report of the Committee on Relations with the Host Country: report of the Sixth Committee (A/69/510) [item 168]

23. Observer status for the Cooperation Council of Turkic-speaking States in the General Assembly: report of the Sixth Committee (A/69/511) [item 169]

24. Observer status for the International Chamber of Commerce in the General Assembly: report of the Sixth Committee (A/69/512) [item 170]

25. Observer status for the Developing Eight Countries Organization for Economic Cooperation in the General Assembly: report of the Sixth Committee (A/69/513) [item 171]

26. Observer status for the Pacific Community in the General Assembly: report of the Sixth Committee (A/69/514) [item 172]

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Informal meetings of the plenary as part of the preparatory process for the Third International Conference on Financing for Development will be held *today*, 10 December 2014, at 10:00, in the Trusteeship Council Chamber, at 15:00, in the Economic and Social Council Chamber. The meetings will focus on "Trade and investment".

The informal meetings will continue on Thursday, 11 and Friday, 12 December 2014, at 10:00 and 15:00, in the Trusteeship Council Chamber. A letter from the President of the General Assembly, dated 24 October 2014, was sent to all permanent representatives and permanent observers. This series of meetings address the enabling environment, systemic issues, follow-up process and learning from partnerships. Additional information is available on the website of the Financing for Development Office (*click here*). [webcast]

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An event convened by the President of the General Assembly to launch the International Decade for People of African Descent, with the theme "People of African Descent: recognition, justice and development", will be held *today*, 10 December 2014, at 15:00, in the Trusteeship Council Chamber. A letter from the President of the General Assembly, dated 31 October 2014, was sent to all permanent representatives and permanent observers. [webcast]

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Informal informal consultations of the plenary on the post-2015 development agenda will be held *today*, 10 December 2014, from 13:15 to 14:30, in Conference Room 4.

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Main Committees

Fifth Committee

10:00 19th meeting [webcast] Conference Room 3

Programme budget for the biennium 2014-2015 [item 132]

Recosting study (A/69/381 and A/69/640)

Introduction and general discussion

Morning[1] to 13:00	Informal consultations (closed)	Conference Room 5
	Informal consultations on agenda item 132 (Programme budget for the biennium 2014-2015: Strategic Heritage Plan, United Nations Office at Geneva (A/69/417, A/69/417/Corr.1 and A/69/580))	

[1] To be held following the adjournment of the 19th meeting of the Fifth Committee.

General Assembly

Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions

09:00 to 13:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 10
15:00 to 18:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 10

1. Modalities for resolution 68/304 "Towards the establishment of a multilateral legal framework for sovereign debt restructuring processes" - Programme budget implications of draft resolution
2. Executive meeting

Independent Audit Advisory Committee
Twenty-eighth session

10:00 to 13:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 9
15:00 to 18:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 9

Economic and Social Council

United Nations Children's Fund

Executive Board
Informal briefing

In preparation for its 2015 first regular session, the Executive Board of UNICEF will hold an informal briefing *today*, 10 December 2014, from 10:00 to 13:00, in Conference Room 8, on:

(a) UNICEF annual financial report and audited financial statements for the year ended 31 December 2013 and report of the Board of Auditors; and

(b) Private fundraising: 2015 work plan and proposed budget.

All interested delegations are invited to attend.

Informal meetings on draft proposals convened by delegations

The agenda of the sixty-ninth session of the General Assembly is contained in documents A/69/251 and A/69/252. The meetings under this header are closed.

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General Assembly

Informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "Investigation into the conditions and circumstances resulting in the tragic death of Dag Hammarskjöld and of the members of the party accompanying him" (under agenda item 128) (convened by the delegation of Sweden)

From 15:00 to 18:00, in Conference Room 6.

Other meetings

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Assembly of States Parties to the Rome Statute of the International Criminal Court (thirteenth session)

Bureau

08:30 to 09:30 Closed meeting Conference Room 7

Third plenary meeting (general debate) [webcast]

10:00 to 13:00 Conference Room 1

Fourth plenary meeting (general debate) [webcast]

15:00 to 18:00 Conference Room 1

[Conference Room 2 will serve as an overflow room for the plenary meetings.]

Group of 77 (on Second Committee and related matters)

09:30 to 10:00 Closed meeting Conference Room D

15:00 to 18:00 Closed meeting Conference Room D

Group of 77 (on international cooperation on humanitarian assistance in the field of natural disasters, from relief to development)

13:15 to 14:30 Closed meeting Conference Room A

Group of 77 (on Fifth Committee matters)

15:00 to 18:00 Closed meeting Conference Room 5

African Group (on Fifth Committee matters) (experts level)

13:15 to 14:30 Closed meeting Conference Room 5

Other activities

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Dialogue between the co-facilitators of the preparatory process for the Third International Conference on Financing for Development with the civil society and the business sector (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Guyana and Norway, in collaboration with the United Nations Non-Governmental Liaison Service (UN-NGLS))

From 09:00 to 09:45, in Conference Room 6.

[All are invited. For further information, please contact Ms. Susan Alzner, UN-NGLS (e-mail alzner@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-3125).]

Event on "Human rights dimension in trafficking in persons" (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of the Philippines and Romania, and the NGO Committee to Stop Trafficking in Persons)

From 10:00 to 11:30, in Conference Room E.

[All are invited. For further information please contact Ms. Elisabeta David, Permanent Mission of Romania (e-mail elisabeta.david@romaniaun.org; tel. 1 (212) 682-3273).]

Special event on "Love is a family value: Supporting all families and family members" (on the occasion of Human Rights Day (10 December)) (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Argentina, Brazil, Colombia, Croatia, El Salvador, France, Israel, Japan, Montenegro, the Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, the United Kingdom, Uruguay, the United States Mission, the Delegation of the European Union, the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights (OHCHR), the Human Rights Watch (HRW) and the International Gay and Lesbian Human Rights Commission (IGLHRC))

From 11:00 to 13:00, in the Economic and Social Council Chamber. [webcast]

[All are invited. For further information, please *click here*; or contact the Delegation of the European Union (e-mail stefan.van-uden@eeas.europa.eu).]

Side events on the occasion of the thirteenth session of the Assembly of States Parties to the Rome Statute of the International Criminal Court

Commemorative event on the twentieth anniversary of the International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda (ICTR) (organized by the United Nations International Criminal Tribunal for Rwanda)

From 13:15 to 14:00, in the Economic and Social Council Chamber. [webcast]

[All are invited. For further information and to register, please contact Ms. Amanda Grafstrom, ICTR (e-mail ictrlegacy@un.org).]

Event on "Cooperation in the area of witness protection" (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Brazil, the Netherlands, and Norway and the International Criminal Court)

From 13:15 to 14:00, in Conference Room 8.

[All are invited. For further information, please contact Ms. Charity Kagwi-Ndungu, United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime (UNODC) (e-mail kagwi@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-3963).]

Panel discussion on "First Responders and the Use of Digital Evidence" (co-organized by Permanent Mission of Liechtenstein and the Open Society Justice Initiative (OSJI))

From 13:15 to 14:30, in Conference Room 7. [webcast]

[All are invited. For further information, contact Mr. René Holbach, Permanent Mission of Liechtenstein (e-mail rene.holbach@nyc.llv.li; tel. 1 (212) 599-0220, ext. 230); Ms. Alison Cole, OSJI (e-mail alison.cole@opensocietyfoundations.org); or *click here*.]

Panel discussion on "Participatory Rights of Victims of International Crimes in National Criminal Justice Systems: Prospects for effective complementarity" (co-organized by the Permanent Mission of Finland, the Institute for Security Studies, and REDRESS)

From 13:15 to 14:45, in Conference Room 2.

[All are invited. For further information, please contact Ms. Sari Mäkelä, Permanent Mission of Finland (e-mail sari.makela@formin.fi; tel. 1 (212) 821-0229).]

Panel discussion on "Gender Identity Law in Latin America" (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Argentina, Brazil, Colombia, El Salvador and Uruguay)

From 15:00 to 17:00, in Conference Room E.

[All are invited. For further information, please contact Ms. Egriselda González, Permanent Mission of El Salvador (e-mail egonzalez@rree.gob.sv).]

Press conferences

The schedule is tentative; up-to-date information can be obtained at www.un.org/sg/spokesperson/confschedule.asp.

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Press Briefing Room (S-0237) [webcast]

10:30 Press conference to preview the *World Economic Situation and Prospects 2015 (WESP)* report, Department of Economic and Social Affairs (DESA) [*Speakers:* Mr. Pingfan Hong, Director, Development Policy and Analysis Division, DESA; and Mr. Matthias Kempf, Senior Economic Affairs Officer, DESA] [*Moderator:* Mr. Wynne Boelt, Department of Public Information (DPI)]

11:30 His Excellency Sam Kutesa (Uganda), President of the sixty-ninth session of the General Assembly (end-of-year press conference)

12:00 Spokesman's Noon Briefing

12:45 Press briefing by His Beatitude Patriarch of Antioch, John X; and Archbishop Joseph of New York and Metropolitan of all North America [*Moderator:* Dr. Ghiath Moussa] (sponsored by the Permanent Mission of the Syrian Arab Republic)

Forthcoming official meetings

Thursday, 11 December 2014

General Assembly
Sixty-ninth session

10:00 69th plenary meeting — General Assembly Hall

1. Global health and foreign policy [item 124]

(a) Note by the Secretary-General (A/69/405)

(b) Draft resolutions (A/69/L.17 and A/69/L.35)

2. Strengthening of the coordination of humanitarian and disaster relief assistance of the United Nations, including special economic assistance [item 69]

   (i) Report of the Secretary-General (A/69/406)

   (ii) Draft resolutions (A/69/L.33 and A/69/L.37)

   (a) Strengthening of the coordination of emergency humanitarian assistance of the United Nations:

      (i) Reports of the Secretary-General (A/69/96 and A/69/303)

      (ii) Draft resolution (A/69/L.40)

   (b) Assistance to the Palestinian people: report of the Secretary-General (A/69/84)

   (c) Special economic assistance to individual countries or regions

3. The role of diamonds in fuelling conflict [item 31]

   (a) Note verbale from the Permanent Mission of China transmitting the Report of the Kimberley Process (A/69/622)

   (b) Draft resolution (A/69/L.39)

4. The role of the United Nations in promoting a new global human order: report of the Secretary-General (A/69/410) [item 15]

5. Organization of work, adoption of the agenda and allocation of items; Follow-up to the second United Nations conference on landlocked developing countries: draft resolution (A/69/L.28) [items 7[1] and 22 (b)]

[1]To reallocate sub-item (b) of agenda item 22.

General Assembly

Sixty-ninth session

The agenda of the sixty-ninth regular session of the General Assembly was adopted on 19 September 2014 and issued in document A/69/251 (see document A/69/252 for allocation of items).

The annotated preliminary list of items to be included in the provisional agenda of the sixty-ninth regular session of the General Assembly was issued in documents A/69/100 and A/69/100/Add.1.

Updates to the programme of work and schedule of plenary meetings of the General Assembly are available by clicking here.

List of speakers

Delegations wishing to speak in the plenary meetings are kindly requested to inscribe with the list of speakers, General Assembly Affairs Branch (Ms. Antonina Poliakova, room S-3082, tel. 1 (212) 963-5063; e-mail poliakova@un.org).

For the submission of a draft resolution for the plenary, please call 1 (212) 963-3818 (room S-3053). Please *click here* for the guidelines for submission of draft resolutions in the General Assembly.

Credential of representatives

Delegations are reminded that the credentials of representatives and the names of alternate representatives and advisers, issued in accordance with rule 27 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly, and signed by the Head of State or Government or Minister of Foreign Affairs should be delivered to the Office of Legal Affairs (room S-3608).

Announcement for Member States on issuance of communications

Delegations requesting issuance of communications as documents of the General Assembly should ensure that they are addressed to the Secretary-General and signed by the Permanent Representative or Chargé d'affaires of the Permanent Mission to the United Nations. The communications should indicate the session of the General Assembly, and the number and title of the agenda item under which circulation is requested, using the agenda of the sixty-ninth session of the General Assembly contained in document A/69/251.

Electronic versions in Microsoft Word should be sent to gaab@un.org, or to dpu-dgacm@un.org, to facilitate the processing of communications. If versions in any other United Nations official languages are available, they should be included with a clear indication of the original language and/or which language versions are to be used for reference only.

Main Committees

Fifth Committee

The Fifth Committee will hold its 20th meeting on Thursday, 11 December 2014, at 15:00, in Conference Room 3. Informal consultations (closed) will be held at 10:00, and following the adjournment of the 20th meeting, in Conference Room 5.

General Assembly

Special Committee on Peacekeeping Operations
Informal briefing

The Department of Field Support and the Department of Peacekeeping Operations will provide an informal briefing (closed), to members of the Special Committee on Peacekeeping Operations, on Monday, 15 December 2014, at 10:00, in the Trusteeship Council Chamber: on health; and inter-mission cooperation.

Economic and Social Council

2015 session
Dialogue on the longer-term positioning of the United Nations development system

In accordance with Council resolution 2014/14, the Economic and Social Council will convene a transparent and inclusive dialogue involving Member States and all relevant stakeholders on the longer-term positioning of the United Nations development system, taking into account the post-2015 development agenda. The first session of the dialogue

will be held on Monday, 15 December 2014, from 10:00 to 13:00 and from 15:00 to 17:30, in the Economic and Social Council Chamber. The meeting will be chaired and moderated by the Vice-President of the Council, Her Excellency Maria Emma Mejia Velez (Colombia).

The preliminary programme is available by *clicking here*. The dialogues will be interactive in nature and as such, there will be no pre-determined list of speakers. For further information, please contact Mr. Kirit Patel, Office for the Economic and Social Council Support and Coordination, Department of Economic and Social Affairs (e-mail patelk@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-3944). Delegates are reminded that PaperSmart services will be offered as an additional service for all the meetings of the 2015 session of the Economic and Social Council. Please *click here* for the PaperSmart portal of the Council.

Committee on Non-Governmental Organizations
Informal consultations

The Committee on Non-Governmental Organizations will hold informal consultations on Wednesday, 17 and Thursday, 18 December 2014, from 10:00 to 13:00 and from 15:00 to 18:00, in Conference Room 9, to discuss new applications. All members of the Committee are strongly encouraged to attend.

Participation in the informal consultations is open to members of the Committee only.

United Nations Children's Fund

Executive Board
Informal briefing

In preparation for its 2015 first regular session, the Executive Board of UNICEF will hold an informal briefing on *Tuesday, 16 December 2014*, from 10:00 to 13:00, in Conference Room 4, on: (a) UNICEF work with countries transitioning from middle to high income status; and (b) the Ebola situation. All interested delegations are invited to attend.

Forthcoming other meetings

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Western European and Other States Group (monthly meeting)

Wednesday, 17 December 2014, from 15:00 to 18:00, in Conference Room 8.

Forthcoming other activities

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Briefing and TEDx Viewing on "TEDxPlaceDesNations Impact: Post-2015 negotiation process, to be adopted by the United Nations in 2015" (co-organized by the United Nations Office at Geneva (UNOG) and Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees (UNHCR); in collaboration with the Department of Public Information (DPI) and the Department of Economic and Social Affairs (DESA))

Thursday, 11 December 2014, from 09:00 to 13:00, in the Dag Hammarskjöld Auditorium.

[All are invited. For further information, please contact Ms. Hawa Diallo, NGO Relations Section (e-mail diallo9@un.org; tel. 1 (917) 367-9380).]

Briefing on "A post-2015 agenda for people and the planet – Echoing voices from civil society" (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Benin and Denmark, Beyond 2015, SOS Children's Villages, Global Focus and the Danish 92 Group)

Thursday, 11 December 2014, from 09:00 to 10:00, in Conference Room B.

[All are invited. For further information, please contact Ms. Lea Rasmussen, Permanent Mission of Denmark (e-mail lerasm@um.dk; tel. 1 (917) 698-4762; or Ms. Naiara Costa (e-mail ncosta@beyond2015.org; tel. 1 (917) 470-0764).]

Launch of the United Nations Population Fund report *Lessons From the First Cycle of the Universal Periodic Review: From Commitment to Action on Sexual and Reproductive Health and Rights* (on the occasion of the Human Rights Day) (organized by the United Nations Population Fund (UNFPA))

Thursday, 11 December 2014, from 09:30 to 11:00, in Conference Room A.

[All are invited. For further information, please contact Ms. Carol Crichlow, UNFPA (e-mail chrichlow@unfpa.org).]

Event to launch the *Framework of Analysis for Atrocity Crimes* "From early-warning to early action: the contribution of new tools and non-State actors for an effective prevention strategy" (co-organized by the Office of the Special Adviser of the Secretary-General on the Prevention of Genocide and the Permanent Missions of Italy and the United Republic of Tanzania)

Thursday, 11 December 2014, from 10:00 to 12:00, in Conference Room 6.

[All are invited. For further information and registration, please contact Ms. Claudia Diaz, Department of Political Affairs (DPA) (e-mail diazc@un.org; tel. 1 (917) 367-2061).]

Event on "Mutual legal assistance and extradition for war crimes, crimes against humanity and crime of genocide – Initiative for a multilateral treaty" (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Argentina, Belgium, the Netherlands and Slovenia)

Thursday, 11 December 2014, from 13:15 to 14:45, in Conference Room 6.

[All are invited. For further information, please contact Ms. Florence Latinis-Sostre, Permanent Mission of Belgium (e-mail florence.latinis@diplobel.fed.be; tel. 1 (212) 378-6387).]

Panel discussion on "Gender equality and women's rights in the Financing for Development framework" (co-organized by the Permanent Mission of Ireland, the United Nations Entity for Gender Equality and the Empowerment of Women (UN-Women), and the Financing for Development Office, Department of Economic and Social Affairs (DESA))

Thursday, 11 December 2014, from 13:15 to 14:45, in the Trusteeship Council Chamber.

[All are invited. For further information, please contact Ms. Zohra Khan, UN-Women (e-mail zohra.khan@unwomen.org); or Mr. Peter Chowla, FFDO (e-mail chowla@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-8618).]

Side events on the occasion of the thirteenth session of the Assembly of States Parties to the Rome Statute of the International Criminal Court

Coalition for the International Criminal Court: Meeting with Asian and Pacific Governments and Civil Society (organized by the Permanent Mission of New Zealand)

Friday, 12 December 2014, from 08:15 to 09:45, in Conference Room A.

[All are invited. For further information, please contact Ms. Jelena Pia-Cornella, CICC (e-mail pia@coalitionforicc.org).]

Event on "Challenges faced in the conduct of financial criminal investigations" (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Guatemala and Liechtenstein)

Friday, 12 December 2014, from 08:30 to 10:00, in Conference Room C.

[All are invited. For further information and for registration, please contact Mr. Jörn Eiermann, Permanent Mission of Liechtenstein (e-mail je@nyc.llv.li); tel. 1 (212) 559-0220, ext. 227).]

Panel discussion on "Universal health coverage (UHC) and resilience: Lessons from the Ebola epidemic" (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of France, Germany and Japan, in collaboration with the Columbia University Mailman School of Public Health and the Rockefeller Foundation)

Friday, 12 December 2014, from 09:00 to 11:00, in Conference Room 6.

[All are invited. For further information, please contact Ms. Rachel Rouchouse, Permanent Mission of France (e-mail rachel.rouchouse@diplomatie.gouv.fr; tel. 1 (212) 702-4933).]

Event on "Victims' perspectives on the role of the Rome Statute – Fulfilling victims' rights and delivering reparative justice" (co-organized by the Permanent Mission of the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela and the Victims' Rights Working Group)

Friday, 12 December 2014, from 13:15 to 14:30, in the Economic and Social Council Chamber.

[All are invited. For further information and for registration, please contact Ms. Glenna Cabello de Daboin, Permanent Mission of the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela (e-mail glennacd@gmail.com; tel. 1 (212) 557-2055).]

Panel discussion on "Advancing Equality and Gender Justice – the Colombian case" (co-organized by the United Nations Population Fund (UNFPA) and the United States Agency for International Development (USAID))

Friday, 12 December 2014, from 13:15 to 14:45, in Conference Room 2.

[All are invited. For further information, please contact Ms. Ida Krogh Mikkelsen, UNFPA (e-mail mikkelsen@unfpa.org).]

Panel discussion on "Delivering on the post-2015 development agenda: What role for public-private partnerships?" (co-organized by the Financing for Development Office, Department of Economic and Social Affairs (DESA) and the New Rules for Global Finance Coalition)

Friday, 12 December 2014, from 13:15 to 14:45, in the Trusteeship Council Chamber.

[All are invited. For further information, please contact Mr. Daniel Platz, FFDO (e-mail platz@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-3664).]

Panel discussion on "Perspectives on Mountains and Sustainable Development in a Post-2015 Agenda" (in observance of the International Mountain Day (11 December)) (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Argentina and Switzerland, the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO) and the Mountain Partnership Secretariat)

Friday, 12 December 2014, from 13:15 to 14:30, in Conference Room 6.

[All are invited. For further information, please contact the FAO Liaison Office in New York (e-mail lon-registry@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-6036).]

Women's International Forum: Meeting on "Outlook for Emerging Market" (sponsored by the Executive Office of the Secretary-General)

Friday, 12 December 2014, from 13:15 to 14:30, in Conference Room 7.

[Delegates and Secretariat staff are invited. For further information, please *click here*).]

Event on "A seminar on sustainable development goals and environmental governance" (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Germany and the Republic of Mauritius, and the World Commission on Environmental Law of the International Union for Conservation of Nature (IUCN))

Friday, 12 December 2014, from 15:00 to 18:00, in Conference Room C.

[All are invited. For further information, please contact Ms. Kelsey Dougherty Howard, IUCN (e-mail kelsey.howard@iucn.org; tel. 1 (212) 346-1163).]

Launch of the 2010 *Yearbook of the United Nations* (organized by the Department of Public Information Yearbook Unit)

Monday, 15 December 2014, from 12:00 to 14:00, in the Woodrow Wilson Reading Room, in the Dag Hammarskjöld Library, 2nd Floor.

[All permanent missions, observer missions and United Nations correspondents are invited. For further information and registration, please contact Mr. Finn Summerell, DPI (e-mail summerell@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-8293); or e-mail unyearbook@un.org).]

Panel discussion on "Documenting international crimes to end impunity in Syria" (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Denmark and the Netherlands)

Monday, 15 December 2014, from 13:15 to 14:30, in Conference Room 7.

[For further information, please contact the Permanent Mission of the Netherlands (e-mail nyv-rsvp@minbuza.nl).]

Event on "Children, sport and development – CRC@25: achievements and looking to post-2015" (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Italy and Jamaica, the United Nations Children's Fund (UNICEF), the United Nations Office on Sport for Development and Peace (UNOSDP) and the Office of the Special Representative of the Secretary-General on Violence against Children (SRSG-VAC))

Monday, 15 December 2014, from 15:00 to 18:00, in the Trusteeship Council Chamber.

[All are invited. For further information and to register, please contact Ms. Isabella Periotto, Permanent Mission of Italy (e-mail sec.italyun@esteri.it; tel. 1 (646) 840-5388).]

High-level panel discussion on "Migration in the Post-2015 United Nations Development Agenda" (co-organized by the International Organization for Migration (IOM), and the Permanent Missions of Costa Rica and Germany)

Wednesday, 17 December 2014, from 10:00 to 13:00, in *Conference Room 8*.

[All are invited. For further information, please contact Mr. Kevin Ritchie, IOM (e-mail kritchie@iom.int; tel. 1 (212) 681-7000, ext. 236); or e-mail unobserver@iom.int.]

Announcements

Training for delegates and staff of permanent missions

The Dag Hammarskjöld Library will conduct the following training for delegates and staff of permanent missions, at the Library Building, Room L-166 (First Floor), for the month of *December*:

General Assembly Documentation (English)

Introduction to United Nations Budget documents (English)

Introduction to United Nations Documents (English)

Country and Map Resources for the United Nations Community (English)

Treaty Research (English)

All interested are kindly requested to register by accessing Library Training Calendar (www.un.libcal.com/).

For more information, please contact the Library (e-mail library-ny@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-3000).

Press kit for the sixty-ninth session of the General Assembly

The press kit for the sixty-ninth session of the General Assembly is now available online in all six official languages. Produced by the Department of Public Information (DPI), in cooperation with the Department for General Assembly and Conference Management (DGACM), the kit is paper-free.

Print-on-demand versions are available on the General Assembly website (*click here*), or via the PaperSmart portal (*click here*).

United Nations Regional Course in International Law for Africa 2015: Urgent appeal for voluntary contributions

The United Nations Regional Courses in International Law (RCIL) provide high-quality training by leading scholars and practitioners on a broad range of core subjects of international law, as well as specific subjects of particular interest to the countries in a given region. The Regional Courses also provide an opportunity for the participants to focus on contemporary issues of international law in the region with a view to promoting greater understanding and cooperation on such issues. For further information, please consult the website of the Regional Courses (*click here*).

The Under-Secretary-General for Legal Affairs and the Codification Division of the Office of Legal Affairs are urgently seeking contributions from Member States in order to ensure sufficient funding for the Regional Course in International Law for Africa, which will take place in February 2015 in Addis Ababa, Ethiopia.

For additional information concerning voluntary contributions, please contact Ms. Virginia Morris, Principal Legal Officer, Codification Division, Office of Legal Affairs (e-mail morrisv@un.org).

Repertoire of the Practice of the Security Council (Fifteenth Supplement - 2004-2007 (Vols. I and II))

The Department of Political Affairs recently published the fifteenth Supplement to the *Repertoire* of the Practice of the Security Council, covering the years from 2004 to 2007. The *Repertoire* is designed to assist government officials, practitioners of international law, academics and all those interested in the work of the United Nations to follow the evolving practice of the Council and gain a better understanding of the framework in which it operates.

For paper copies of the Fifteenth Supplement, please contact Mr. Louis Giordano, Meetings Support Section (tel. 1 (212) 963-7288).

Later supplements covering the period 2008 to 2011 are available in their advance version on line by *clicking here*.

United Nations Audiovisual Library of International Law: Urgent Appeal for voluntary contributions by the Under-Secretary-General for Legal Affairs

The United Nations Audiovisual Library of International Law (AVL) is a unique multi-media resource and key instrument for promoting a greater understanding of the essential role of the United Nations in the field of international law. It consists of a permanent collection of scholarly lectures, historic archives of significant international law instruments and an online legal research library providing extensive international law research materials. Since its launch on 28 October 2008, the Audiovisual Library has been accessed by almost one million users in all 193 Member States of the United Nations.

The United Nations Audiovisual Library of International Law is dependent on voluntary contributions. The Under-Secretary-General for Legal Affairs and the Codification Division are seeking voluntary contributions from Member States to support the continuation and further development of the Audiovisual Library in 2014.

The Under-Secretary-General for Legal Affairs and the Codification Division of the Office of Legal Affairs, wish to express their appreciation to the four Member States that have made voluntary contributions to support the AVL in 2014, namely, China, Ireland, Mexico and the United Kingdom.

For additional information or inquiries, please contact Ms. Virginia Morris, Principal Legal Officer, Codification Division, Office of Legal Affairs (e-mail morrisv@un.org).

Calendar of conferences and meetings

The 2014 calendar of conferences and meetings is available and posted on the Department for General Assembly and Conference Management (DGACM) website, or can be consulted by *clicking here*.

Summary of official meetings

Tuesday, 9 December 2014

Security Council

[archived video]

7328th meeting — *The situation in Liberia*

Letter dated 29 September 2014 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2014/707)

Letter dated 19 November 2014 from the Panel of Experts on Liberia established pursuant to resolution 2128 (2013) addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2014/831)

The agenda was adopted without objection.

The President drew attention to the text of a draft resolution contained in document S/2014/868, submitted by the United States of America.

The Council proceeded to vote on the draft resolution (S/2014/868) before it.

Decision: The draft resolution (S/2014/868) received 15 votes in favour, none against and no abstentions and was adopted unanimously as resolution 2188 (2014).

[archived video]

7329th meeting — *The situation in the Central African Republic*

Letter dated 28 October 2014 from the Panel of Experts on the Central African Republic established pursuant to Security Council resolution 2127 (2013) addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2014/762)

Report of the Secretary-General on the situation in the Central African Republic (S/2014/857)

Letter dated 5 December 2014 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2014/870)

The agenda was adopted without objection.

The President invited Mr. Hervé Ladsous, Under-Secretary-General for Peacekeeping Operations, to participate in the meeting in accordance with rule 39 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure.

The Council began its consideration of the item and heard a briefing by Mr. Ladsous.

The Council also heard a briefing by Her Excellency Raimonda Murmokaitė, Permanent Representative of Lithuania, in her capacity as Chair of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 2127 (2013) concerning the Central African Republic.

7330th meeting (closed) — *Meeting of the Security Council with the troop- and police-contributing countries pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B*

United Nations Mission in Liberia

The Security Council met in private. At the close of the meeting, the following communiqué was issued by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 55 of the provisional rules of procedure of the Council:

"On 9th December 2014, the Security Council, pursuant to annex II, sections A and B of resolution 1353 (2001), held its 7330th meeting in private with the troop- and police-contributing countries to the United Nations Mission in Liberia.

The President invited Mr. Hervé Ladsous, Under-Secretary-General for Peacekeeping Operations to participate in the meeting in accordance with rule 39 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure.

The Security Council and the troop- and police-contributing countries heard a briefing by Mr. Ladsous."

[archival video]

7331st meeting

Briefings by Chairs of subsidiary bodies of the Security Council

The agenda was adopted without objection.

The Council began its consideration of the item and heard briefings by His Excellency Oh Joon, Chair of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolutions 751 (1992) and 1907 (2009) concerning Somalia and Eritrea and Chair of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1540 (2004); His Excellency Gary Quinlan, Chair of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolutions 1267 (1999) and 1989 (2011) concerning Al-Qaida and associated individuals and entities, Chair of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1737 (2006) and Chair of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1988 (2011); Her Excellency Maria Cristina Perceval, Chair of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1591 (2005) concerning the Sudan and Chair of the Informal Working Group on Documentation and Other Procedural Questions; Her Excellency Sylvie Lucas, Chair of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1718 (2006) and Chair of the Working Group on Children and Armed Conflict; and by His Excellency Eugène-Richard Gasana, Chair of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1970 (2011) concerning Libya and Chair of the Working Group on Peacekeeping Operations.

General Assembly

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[archived video]

66th plenary meeting

Oceans and the law of the sea [item 74 (a)]

(i) *Reports of the Secretary-General (A/69/71 and A/69/71/Add.1)*

(ii) *Report on the work of the Ad Hoc Working Group of the Whole (A/69/177)*

(iii) *Report on the work of the United Nations Open-ended Informal Consultative Process (A/69/300)*

(iv) *Letter from the Co-Chairs of the Ad Hoc Open-ended Informal Working Group to the President of the General Assembly (A/69/177*)*

(v) *Draft resolution (A/69/L.29)*

Sustainable fisheries, including through the 1995 Agreement for the Implementation of the Provisions of the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea of 10 December

1982 relating to the Conservation and Management of Straddling Fish Stocks and Highly Migratory Fish Stocks, and related instruments: draft resolution (A/69/L.30)* [item 74 (b)]

Joint debate

The representative of New Zealand made a statement, in the course of which she introduced draft resolution A/69/L.30*.

The representative of Trinidad and Tobago made a statement, in the course of which he introduced draft resolution A/69/L.29.

Statements were made by the representatives of the European Union (also on behalf of the candidate countries The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, Montenegro, Serbia and Albania; the country of the Stabilization and Association Process and potential candidate Bosnia and Herzegovina; as well as Ukraine, the Republic of Moldova and Armenia, which aligned themselves with the statement), Palau (on behalf of the Pacific Islands Forum), Jamaica (on behalf of the Caribbean Community), Fiji (on behalf of the Pacific Small Island Developing States), Cuba, Japan, the United States, Monaco, Norway, Argentina, Cyprus, Guatemala, the Russian Federation, Ukraine, Mexico and Viet Nam.

67th plenary meeting

Oceans and the law of the sea [item 74 (a)]

(i) *Reports of the Secretary-General (A/69/71 and A/69/71/Add.1)*

(ii) *Report on the work of the Ad Hoc Working Group of the Whole (A/69/77)*

(iii) *Report on the work of the United Nations Open-ended Informal Consultative Process (A/69/90)*

(iv) *Letter from the Co-Chairs of the Ad Hoc Open-ended Informal Working Group to the President of the General Assembly (A/69/177)*

(v) *Draft resolution (A/69/L.29)*

Sustainable fisheries, including through the 1995 Agreement for the Implementation of the Provisions of the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea of 10 December 1982 relating to the Conservation and Management of Straddling Fish Stocks and Highly Migratory Fish Stocks, and related instruments: draft resolution (A/69/L.30) [item 74 (b)]

Joint debate

The General Assembly continued its consideration of agenda item 74 and its sub-items (a) and (b).

Statements were made by the representatives of the Philippines, Iceland, Maldives, India, Singapore, Pakistan and China.

In accordance with General Assembly resolution 51/204 of 17 December 1996, His Excellency Vladimir Vladimirovich Golitsyn, President of the International Tribunal for the Law of the Sea, made a statement.

In accordance with General Assembly resolution 51/6 of 24 October 1996, His Excellency Nii Allotey Odunton, Secretary-General of the International Seabed Authority, made a statement.

The General Assembly was informed that action on the draft resolution A/69/L.29 was postponed to a later date to allow time for the review of its programme budget implications by the Fifth Committee.

The representative of the Secretariat made a statement on programme budget implications of draft resolution A/69/L.30*.

The General Assembly adopted draft resolution A/69/L.30* (resolution 69/109).

Statements in explanation of vote after adoption were made by the representatives of Argentina, Turkey and the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela.

The General Assembly thus concluded its consideration of sub-item (b) of agenda item 74.

The General Assembly thus concluded this stage of its consideration of sub-item (a) of agenda item 74 and of agenda item 74 as a whole.

Programme of work

The General Assembly was informed that the consideration of agenda item 15 (The role of the United Nations in promoting a new global human order) and agenda item 124 (Global health and foreign policy), originally scheduled on Wednesday, 10 December, would now take place on Thursday, 11 December 2014.

Signatures, Ratifications, etc.

The dates indicated correspond to the dates of receipt of the relevant documents, except for the signatures.

[Multilateral Treaties Deposited with the Secretary-General]

Optional Protocol to the Convention on the Rights of the Child on the involvement of children in armed conflict. New York, 25 May 2000

Ratification. Ghana (9 December 2014)

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